

## NIGHT EDITION

## BALLINGER RESIGNS

## Secretary of the Interior Leaves the Cabinet

Walter L. Fisher Appointed His Successor—President Taft Had the Fullest Confidence in Sec. Ballinger

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Richard A. Ballinger's resignation as secretary of the interior, dated Jan. 19 last, was accepted today by President Taft, and Walter L. Fisher of Chicago was appointed as his successor, his commission being signed immediately by the president. Mr. Fisher will take office within a few days.



EX-SEC. BALLINGER

Secretary Ballinger tendered his resignation. The correspondence between the president and the secretary is not voluminous but displays beyond question the confidence which Mr. Taft has reposed in Mr. Ballinger throughout the long gage and the indignation with which he viewed the attack on the secretary's personal and official integrity.

"I have had the fullest opportunity," the president says in his letter accepting the resignation, "to know you, to know your standards of service to the government and the public and to know your motives, to know how you have administered your office and to know the motives of those who have assailed you. I do not hesitate to say that you have been the object of one of the most unscrupulous conspiracies for the defamation of character that history can show, and in the conclusion of his letter the president declares that 'every fibre of my nature rebels against such hypocrisy' (referring to the attacks on Mr. Ballinger's character) and nerves me to fight such a combination and such methods to the bitter end, lest success in this instance form a demoralizing precedent. But personal consideration for you and yours makes me feel that I have no right to ask of you further sacrifice."

STRUCK BY CAR  
Man Escaped With Slight Injury

John Murray, a man well along in years, was struck by a Christian hill car in Merrimack square near the junction of Merrimack and Central streets, shortly before the noon hour today.

Mr. Murray lives at 45 West Fourth street and was on his way to the Kitchison machine shop with his son's dinner. Alighting from the Pawtucketville car he went around it and walked directly in front of the Christian hill car. He was knocked down and it was first feared that his injuries were serious, but when taken to the office of the company it was found that the extent of his injuries consisted of a cut over the left eye. The cut was washed and Mr. Murray continued on his way to the machine shop. Thomas Flynn was the conductor on the Christian hill car and the motorman was Patrick Fels.

FAVORABLE REPORT  
Expected on Street Bill for City of Lowell

A delegation from Lowell went to the state house in Boston today to appear before the committee on cities of the legislature, which gave a hearing on the senate bill 101, accompanying the petition of Mayor Meehan and others which reads as follows:

An act relative to the preparation and opening for public travel of ways in the city of Lowell.

Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives in general court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

After the passage of this act no person or corporation shall prepare or open for public travel in the city of Lowell any way, unless its location, direction, width and grades are satisfactory to and have been approved in writing by a board consisting of the mayor, the city civil engineer and the superintendent of streets of said city.

The local delegation was composed

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of the following: Mayor Meehan, City Solicitor William W. Dunean, Secretary John H. Murphy of the board of trade, Robert Marden, Dr. Hugh Walker.

They all spoke in favor of the petition as did Senator Hubbard and all the Lowell representatives.

It is expected that the committee will report to make it a general law.

## DEATHS

DACEY.—Jeremiah Dacey, aged 65 years, died this morning at his late home, 231 Salem street. Deceased was a well known member of St. Patrick's parish, also a member of the Holy Name society, and past commander of Post 120, G. A. R. He is survived by his wife, four daughters, Mrs. William Holden, Mrs. John J. Millaney, Mrs. William Goodwin, and Mrs. George Daley; two sons, John Dacey and William, of St. John's Seminary of Brighton.

WHEELER.—Mrs. Fred G. Wheeler, aged 38 years, died this morning at St. John's hospital. Her remains were removed to James W. McKenna's undertaking rooms, 419 Bridge street. Funeral notice later.

HOLY HOUR SERVICE  
The service of the Holy Hour will be held in St. Michael's church tomorrow evening at 7.30.

## THE REPUBLICANS



FRED E. POLLARD, Selectman.



PERCY SMITH, Selectman.

Scored a Great Victory in the  
Dragut Town Meeting

The annual town meeting held in Dragut yesterday was largely attended and a large vote was cast during the day. The town voted no license and the republicans scored a good victory. The polls were opened at 10.10 o'clock and closed at 4. Considerable business was transacted during the day. The results of the election follow:

Town clerk, John W. Brennan; selectmen, Fred E. Pollard, Walter E. Garland, Percy Smith; town treasurer, James J. McManmon; auditor, Lawrence J. Brennan; assessor, three year term, Norman L. Peavey; assessor, one year unexpired term, Fred A. Bassett; constable and tax collector, Arthur W. Colburn; road surveyor, Clarence L. Richardson; tree warden, Thomas P. Currier; school committee, Edward A. Donnell, Charles H. Cutler, Eugene C. Fox; library trustees, Silas R. Coburn, Ella W. Peabody; cemetery commissioner, Almond Richardson.

The vote was as follows:

Town clerk—John W. Brennan, D. 347; Asa Stickney, R. 214.  
Selectmen, three elected—Fred E. Pollard, R. 333; Walter F. Garland, R. 312; Percy Smith, R. 265; John E. Burke, D. 237; Luke J. McDonald, D. 236; George C. Cunniff, D. 135.  
Town treasurer—James J. McManmon, D. 234; Bornice Parker, R. 225.  
Auditor—Lawrence J. Brennan, D. 313; Nelson E. Huntley, R. 223.  
Assessor, three year term—Norman L. Peavey, R. 307; Nicholas Gallagher, D. 250.  
Assessor, one year unexpired term—Fred A. Bassett, R. 393; John J. Lathey, D. 235.  
Constable and tax collector—Arthur W. Colburn, R. 331; Moses L. Daigle, D. 234.  
Road surveyor—Clarence L. Richardson, R. 295; Thomas Carroll, D. 248.  
Tree warden—Thomas F. Currier, D. 279; William A. Finncon, R. 275.  
School committee, three elected—Edward A. Donnell, R. 326; Charles H. Cutler, R. 313; Eugene C. Fox, 313; H. Francis Kiernan, D. 260.



WALTER F. GARLAND, Selectman.



JAMES J. McMANMON, Re-elected Treasurer.

Bridge street and running westerly.

Under article 30, it was voted that the selectmen should not be elected for terms of one, two and three years.

The article which asked that a committee be appointed and authorized to sell and convey a part of the town farm land, was adopted and the meeting voted to allow the board of assessors to sell the entire farm land during the ensuing year and the money obtained to be used toward paying the town debt.

Article 32 asked the town to accept the deed of a lot of land owned by Geo. R. Brown and located in Col-linsville at the junction of Lakeview avenue and Mammoth road upon condition that \$250 be raised to improve the same.

There was some doubt as to Mr. Brown owning the land in question and Mr. Foss said that a careful investigation had failed to show any claim upon the place by Mr. Brown.

The incoming board of selectmen will look further into the matter.

It was voted to pay the tax collector 2 per cent on all taxes collected by him during the ensuing year.

The sum of \$1000 was voted under article 34 for the construction of a sidewalk on the easterly side of Lakeview avenue from the Pellham car

tracks to Canney's corner in the Collinsville section.

The final article, calling for the construction of two flag-stone crossings, one to cross Mammoth road at the junction of Lakeview avenue and one at Mill street at junction of Lakeview avenue was passed and \$250 was voted for the same.

Frank Gunther in conclusion moved



JOHN BRENNAN, Re-elected Town Clerk.

that it be the sense of the meeting to reimburse the Lowell firemen who were injured at the fire at the Ames property one week ago. The meeting voted its approval, but no stated sum was set.

FIRE BROKE OUT  
In Barber Shop in  
Moody Street

Fire of unknown origin broke out in the barber shop conducted by Victor Lahaise at the corner of Moody and Cabot streets last night shortly before eight o'clock. Word was sent to Hose 3 in Merrimack street and the firemen succeeded in extinguishing the blaze soon after arriving upon the scene.

The blaze started in a shelf near the stairway leading to the cellar and the firemen were as yet unable to learn the cause. The building is owned by John Dunn.

The insurance on the building as well as the insurance on the stock and fixtures of Mr. Lahaise is carried through the agency of Fred C. Church.

## JOSEPH A. LEGARE

Takes Charge of Post Office Tomorrow

Joseph A. Legare, whose nomination to the postmastership in this city has been confirmed by the United States senate, will take charge of the local office tomorrow. Mr. Legare's commission will reach this city late this afternoon and he will then have authority to take full charge tomorrow. Mr. Legare will still retain his business association with Congressman Ames, but will devote all the time necessary to his new position as postmaster. He has visited the local office during the past few days and is well acquainted with the workings of the department, and so expects no trouble in handling the business in a most satisfactory manner.

## FORGE TO THE FRONT

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## TEXAN WANTS WIFE

## Wants Mayor Meehan to Pick One Out For Him

Here's chance, girls, to see "the man from Texas," and if you like him you can have him, but don't all speak at once. He lives in San Antonio, and he's looking for a woman to mend holes in his clothing. That's about all the excuse he has for jumping into the matrimonial arena. He has asked Mayor Meehan to pick him out a good woman and the mayor feels quite flattered, as the man is a stranger to him and the confidence of a stranger, especially when it comes to "picking" a wife, is to be appreciated.

The Texas man's letter to the mayor is as follows:

San Antonio, Texas, March 2, 1911.  
The Honorable Mayor, My Dear Sir:  
I send you a photo of myself and will tell you some of my troubles. I live in this state where they raise long horn steers, and women are scarce. Men are plentiful here in San Antonio and the women are all married. What are single are more or less consump-

tive. I am single and am badly in need of a wife, as you can see by my photo as I am sewing a hole in my pocket. Pick me out a good woman and give her my name and photo.

Truly yours,  
Bert Roberts.

San Antonio, Tex.  
Accompanying this letter was a postcard photograph of a man about 45 years of age. He is smoking a cigar and engaged in mending a hole in a trousers pocket. At the bottom of the photograph is written: "One of my troubles when I have no wife. Hole in pocket."

For Baseball Park  
At the meeting of the board of aldermen tonight, Alderman Joseph H. Jodoin, Jr., was introduced an order requesting the park commission to ascertain on what terms a portion of the Lowell fair grounds can be secured for the purpose of a baseball park.

## STOVE EXPLODED

David Sax, the Concord street shoemaker, had a narrow escape from being probably fatally injured as the result of an explosion of a kitchen range in a tenement in Hogan's building in Pond street about 11.30 o'clock this morning. The only thing that saved him from injury was the fact that a few minutes before the explosion he left the kitchen to go to another part of the house. Mr. Sax and his family reside in another portion of the city, but a few days ago rented the tenement in the Pond street building and yesterday moved in the great portion of the furniture and purchased a kitchen range for \$45.

In order to have the house well heated before his wife and children moved into the new quarters, he set the stove up and started a fire this morning. Shortly after getting the fire going he went to the front part of the house and had been there but a few minutes when he heard a loud report. Rushing into the kitchen, he found that the stove had exploded and the framework of the stove were strewn about the room. There was a big hole in the plastering in the ceiling while considerable plastering was torn off the sides of the walls.

An alarm from box 14 was sounded and the fire department was soon on the scene and extinguished the blaze. An investigation by the firemen showed that the water pipes were frozen and when the fire in the stove reached a certain heat the explosion resulted.

The building is owned by the Hogan Brothers and the insurance on the property was carried through the agency of Collins & Hogan.

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15c Bottle Worcestershire Sauce ..... 10c  
12c Bottle Best Bluing ..... 9c  
Large Bag Salt ..... 9c

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# NEW HIGH SCHOOL

## Discussed at Meeting of Committee on Education

### School Board Members and School Officials Attended the Conference—It Was Pointed Out That More Room is Needed for Accommodation of Pupils

The committee on education met yesterday afternoon for the purpose of considering a communication from the school board to the city council recommending the acquisition of land on the north side of the high school on which to build an addition to that school. The meeting was attended by school board members, Principal Irish of the high school, and Supt. Whitcomb. The cost of the land was estimated at from \$250,000 to \$320,000 and if the purchase were made it was the opinion of both boards that the city would have to appeal to the legislature to extend the debt limit of the city.

Mr. Irish said that the total registration of the high school during the present year was 1261. This is an increase of 45 over the previous school year. The annual increase varies from 40 to 60. Thirty-nine rooms are now occupied as class rooms by the present high school, 20 in the school proper and 19 in the annex. Thirty-five teachers are employed in the two buildings, exclusive of the principal and the teacher of education. This means one teacher for every 35 scholars. It has been recognized by school authorities that there should be one teacher for every 20 pupils. This condition obtains in Buffalo, N. Y., Detroit, Mich., in many of the high schools of New York, in Cleveland, Cincinnati and Chicago, and in many of the cities of Europe. If but 30 pupils were allowed for each teacher here that would mean that five more teachers would be needed and, therefore, not five more rooms in which classes can be taught.

"We come here," he said, "to ask you to favor the purchase of lots in Kirk and Anne streets, north of the present main building. Ideas may differ as to just how schools would be divided should two high schools be erected. There might be the division which would have one a technical high school and the other a classical high school. The technical high school would contain the courses devoted to a commercial education, as well as the manual training. The classical high school would be used to prepare pupils for professional schools, colleges, medical and law schools and normal schools.

If another high school is to be erected here it might be put in the Highlands or any other place. If a second high school is erected the expense of the Manual Training school would have to be duplicated unless all the manual training were confined to one school. And the same would obtain with the commercial course. We would have to support another course in Greek, which is expensive.

Mr. Barrett thought one of the principal things to be considered is the financial side of the affair. He said that if the school is enlarged the city might have to go to the legislature to get the debt limit extended. Unless that were done the city could not borrow \$200,000. He said that if an addition is to be built, should be 20 or 30 years. He thought it would be the right thing to get permission to borrow \$300,000 for a term of 30 years on a serial note basis. A serial note issue makes the principal and the interest due every year. "If I was sure that we needed this addition I would vote right now that we go to the legislature and get the right to borrow \$300,000, instead of \$200,000. He asked the mayor how late in the session of the legislature a bill could be introduced. The answer was that a matter proved of great importance the rules could be suspended and entered at any time before the session closed.

Mr. Irish was asked the cost per annum per pupil for ordinary high school work. In Boston it is \$93, he said; in Cambridge, Somerville and Newton it is about \$50, and in Lowell it is a little over \$50.

Mayor Meehan said: "We've got to borrow a lot of money this year. We will have to spend approximately \$60,000 for a contagious hospital and possibly \$70,000 for a site for a public hall. And, when we get the site, it will take over \$200,000 for the public hall. If it is not absolutely necessary, why cannot this matter of an addition to the high school be put over until next year?"

Mr. Irish said that he hoped work might begin at once if only it was work towards securing the purchase by the city of the seven lots of land in question. Mr. Barrett believed that the assessment had been lowered \$6000 or \$7000 within a year. Mr. Rogers said that the figure for which land and buildings is assessed might be too low, as well as too high. The assessed value was not guaranteed that the land was worth less than the figure named. Mr. Rogers thought that the work of securing the land and of planning for the erection of the addition might go along concurrently.

Mr. Irish showed the plans for an addition to the present main building, which are favored by the school board. These plans have already appeared in The Sun.

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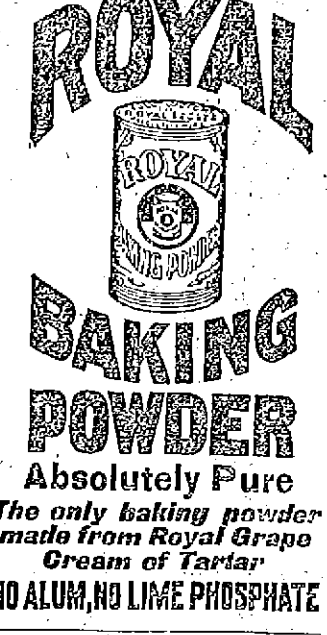
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High school, \$307. The average is \$417 per pupil. The present Lowell High school building cost \$171,348, and the average cost, \$57,000. The total cost of the two buildings being \$258,348, or \$265.50 per pupil here.

The new building would accommodate 800 pupils. Mr. Irish preferred to figure that the cost for erection of the new building should be by the average of such a cost in the cities previously named, and figuring at \$417 per pupil, the cost for the addition would be about \$333,600. However, he believed that that figure might be shaved considerably, probably to about \$250,000. The land will cost approximately \$30,000, he thought.

Mr. Barrett wanted to know which grew the faster, the high or the grammar schools. Mr. Whitcomb said that the high school did. Mr. Barrett wanted to know if the fact that a state industrial school might be located here would in any way affect the attendance at the high school. Mr. Irish thought it would not have the slightest effect so far as attendance would be concerned. He said that the industrial school would be mainly for those pupils who had been forced to leave the city schools as soon as they reached the age of 14.

The school board members and Messrs. Irish and Whitcomb were excused at 5.40. The committee voted to adjourn to Thursday afternoon at 6 o'clock and to ask Mr. Irish to be present for the purpose of obtaining more information.

# ATHERTON PLANT

## Merwin-Hughes Company Will Employ About 300 Hands

General activity has been resumed at the Atherton plant in Warrenville, Liberty street. It will act as sales plant has been idle since the P. R. manager, Thomas J. Hughes, will be there several months ago. The plant is now occupied by the Merwin-Hughes company and the new company will engage in the same kind of work as the Warren Co., the making of boxes, both stiff and folding, and the printing of labels, show cards, etc. Manager Hughes says that 300 hands will be employed when the plant is running full blast. He expects to have the plant in full operation by the first of June.

The new company is composed of E. J. Merwin, Thomas J. Hughes and B. B. Cann. Mr. Merwin will continue to reside in New York city, with offices at 55 Liberty street. He will act as sales manager. Thomas J. Hughes will be the local manager, and he will remove to this city with his family. B. B. Cann, secretary and treasurer of the company, will also remove to Lowell with his family. Richard Sullivan will be manager of the printing department. He will move into the house of Charles A. Eveleth in Wentworth avenue.

The new company expects to do a business of at least \$400,000 per year. They will occupy the entire plant at Atherton except the foundry which is not, it is understood, to a Boston concern, that will begin operations there in a short time. The foundry will employ in the vicinity of 50 hands.

There was a hold-up at city hall last night and "yeggs" are mentioned in connection with it. The committee on accounts, Alderman Barrett, chairman, held a meeting and did not adjourn until 12.30 this morning. The committee held up a little army of bills including the bill of the photographer who "mugged" the "yeggs" recently taken in tow by the police. Collins & Hogan's bill for \$200 for appraising land on the boulevard was held up again and the hold up process was worked on a raft of telephone bills, all toll calls, affecting several departments, in which the name of the person called had not been given. Most of the bills were held up for what the committee considered to be overcharges. Following are the bills that were held up:

M. J. Mullaney, \$143.11 for plumbing. The bill appeared excessive.  
Dr. W. A. Johnson, \$34, and Dr. J. B. O'Connor, \$19, work for the board of health. These appeared excessive.  
William Hanel, \$26, for taking pictures of the "yeggs" recently hauled into the police net by the local department. The bill appeared excessive.  
Will J. Sarado, \$200, for expert consultation in regard to the building of the new pump. The bill appeared excessive.  
Collins & Hogan, \$200, for appraising land on the boulevard in regard to seizure processes for the sinking of wells. This also appeared excessive to the committee.  
Lowell Auto Co., \$104.10, for work on the water department automobile. Held up for the same reason.  
M. D. Lafleur, \$33.22, for turpentine. The committee thought that was too costly turpentine by a good deal.  
Lowell Electric Light corporation, \$371.31. The whole presentation of the bill was not clear, though believed to be correct.  
Arthur G. Beharrel, \$106.75, for repairing street department automobile; the usual reason.  
Banker and Tradesman, \$5, for subscription. The committee wanted to know what the water department meant by charging a magazine subscription to the city.  
City of Lawrence, \$40, for instruction of a boy said to live in Lowell. The committee thinks the boy does not live here, and scratched the bill from the list entirely.  
G. C. Prince & Co., \$75.00, for stationery; too much.  
Arthur A. Clark, \$73.50, against sewer department. An item concerning sewer dippers seemed excessive.  
Lowell Gas Light Co., two bills, one for \$2 and one for 50 cents, for light in a sewer department toilet house.  
W. H. and H. M. Wilson, \$75, for damages on personal property from a dynamite blast. Inquiry necessary.  
Moody Bridge Auto Co., \$35.50, for sundries and supplies for the fire department. More inquiry.  
J. B. Cover, \$5, which seemed a little too much for salt.  
The following bills sent in by neighboring cities and towns are for outside aid on Lowell changes, and will require further inquiry. They are:  
Worcester \$10; Fall River, \$8.10; town of Dudley, \$5.21; Brockton, \$74.28; Fall River, \$19.50; Haverhill, four bills, \$11.10, \$5.16, \$7.40 and \$9.90; Lawrence, \$1.65; Salem, two bills \$48 and \$44.35.

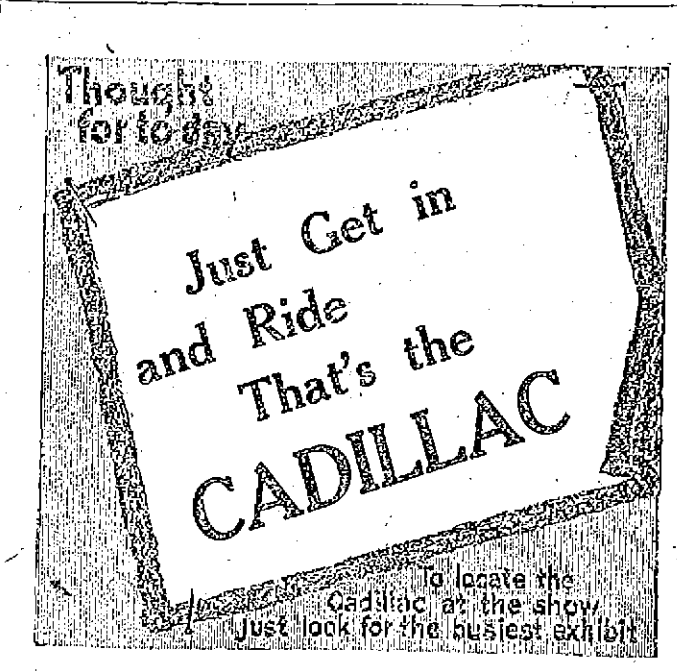
## PREMIER WHITNEY BRITISH CABINET

Is Opposed to Reciprocity Agreement Report That Changes Will be Made

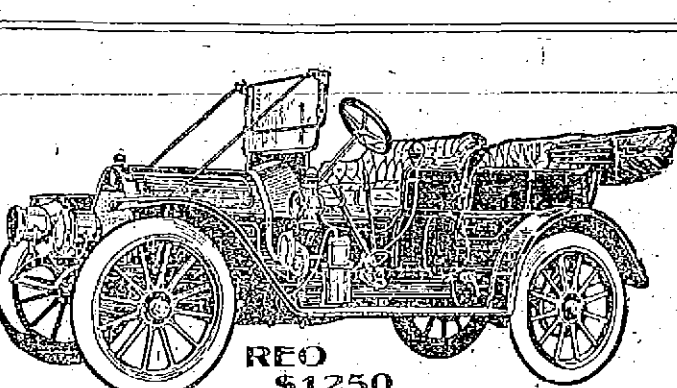
LONDON, March 7.—Lobby reports regarding cabinet changes arising from the illness of the Earl of Crowe, secretary for India, include the promotion of War Secretary Haldane to the peerage and possibly Reginald McKenna.

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an, first lord of the admiralty in order to strengthen the representation of the government in the house of lords. Should such changes be made, Lord Col. John B. Selby, under-secretary for the colonies, the reports have it, would become secretary of war.

The Earl of Crowe, who is suffering from concussion of the brain, following a collapse after a fainting fit, is said to be progressing favorably.

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**LAID AT REST**  
Funeral of Edward P. McLaughlin Today

The funeral of the late Edward P. McLaughlin, treasurer of the Lowell Electrotyping foundry and a well-known and highly esteemed citizen, took place this morning from his home, 654 Bridge street and was largely attended, many friends from Boston, East Boston and Winthrop being in attendance. The cortege left the house at 8.15 o'clock and proceeded to St. Michael's church where at 9 o'clock high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Dennis J. Murphy. The choir under the direction of Thomas P. Boulger rendered the Gregorian mass and at the offertory "Domine Jesu Christe" was sung. At the conclusion of the service "In Paradisum" was sung. The casket was borne by Messrs. John H. Griffin, Patrick J. Connean, Peter McGauvran, Joseph Mulcahey, John Downey and John Gorman. In attendance at the funeral was a delegation from Lowell council, Knights of Columbus, including Grand Knight Henry J. Heagy, John Fahy, Roger Long, William McElion, Richard Mower, Terrence Cox, Michael O'Brien and William McGauvran. There was also present a delegation from the Knights of Equity. At the conclusion of the service the funeral cortege proceeded to the depot where the remains were placed on the 10.42 train for Boston, the interment which was in charge of Undertaker James W. McKenna of this city taking place in Holy Cross cemetery, Malden, Mass. Among the many beautiful floral tributes placed upon the grave were the following:

Willow, inscribed "Forever" from the wife; wreath, inscribed "Papa, from three children of the deceased; broken wreath on base, inscribed "At Rest, Brother Eddie," Mr. and Mrs. P. Keough and family of East Boston; mound of roses and violets, inscribed "Glad to see you," Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cotter, of Winthrop, Mass.; roses and crown on base, Messrs. John H. Griffin and P. J. Connean; business partners of the deceased; spray of roses, Miss Esther Bradley; wreath on base, Mrs. P. McGauvran and family; basket of roses, Mary and Hattie Maloney; spray of carnations, Agnes and Joseph Maloney; wreath of roses and galax leaves, inscribed "Friend," Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Adams; cross of roses on base, Mr. and Mrs. Martin H. Reddy; spray of Jack roses and ferns, James Heagy; wreath of roses and galax leaves, emblems of the J. C. Ayer company; spray of lilies, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peard; spray of pink carnations, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Drevett; spray of pink carnations, Mr. Patrick Quinn;

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# COAL LANDS FRAUDS

## Several Persons Charged With Conspiracy

DETROIT, Mich., March 7.—Government investigation into alleged Alaskan coal lands frauds involving approximately 48,000 acres of land valued at more than \$50,000,000, resulted in the issuance last night of an indictment by the local federal grand jury, charging seven individuals with conspiracy against the United States. The defendants are: William W. McAlpine, Albert H. Roebuck, George W. Ross, Frank D. Andrus, Arthur L. Holmes and McCurdy C. Lebeau, all of Detroit, and John M. Bushnell, of Chicago. The foregoing are officials of a company known as the Michigan Alaska Development company.

The contention of the government is that the defendants conspired to induce between 200 and 300 individuals to become stockholders in the company by making "fraudulent and fictitious locations of certain Alaska coal lands," thereby violating the land entry laws of 1910, which made it illegal for more than four persons to form a company for locating Alaska coal lands and taking patents on more than 640 acres. It is alleged that the several stockholders were led to believe that they were locating the lands for their exclusive use, but in truth and in fact, for the use and benefit of the seven defendants, and the Michigan Alaska Development company. The Michigan Alaska Development company was organized under the laws of Arizona. W. W. McAlpine is the president. The coal lands involved are situated mainly at Juneau, Alaska.

It is declared by the defendants that strictly individual entry of the lands has been made and that the Michigan Alaska company was organized as a benefit association for the purpose of aiding the stockholders or claimants, to better protect their title and develop their lands. They deny stock was to be sold and they insist that the

corporation was not formed for the exploitation of the coal lands in the general market.

U. S. District Attorney Frank Watson of Detroit announced last night that he will prepare for an early trial of the defendants. The penalty for conviction on a charge of conspiracy against the government of this nature is two years' imprisonment or a fine of not more than \$10,000.

## CATHOLIC CLERGY

### To Make Gift to the Pope

At the meeting of the archbishops of the United States Cardinal Gibbons will bring to their attention the plan which has already met with wide approval in Roman Catholic ecclesiastical circles of a yearly contribution to the pope by the clergy of this country. This proposed gift is not in any way connected with the Peter's Pence collection taken up yearly in the churches, which concerns the laity alone.

This year has been chosen as most appropriate for inaugurating this custom because the ordinary sources of revenue for the Vatican will be curtailed to a considerable extent because Pope Pius X. has declared that there shall be no consistory, no pilgrimages and no solemn receptions in Rome this year as a protest against the civil celebration of the first Italian anniversary of the first Italian parliament and beginning of the end for the papal states. Gifts made by pilgrims to the pope form a considerable part of the revenues required to carry on the administration of the Vatican, and it is argued by the promoters of the contribution that a special gift this year will be most timely.

The proposed gift is to come wholly from the clergy and is to be a voluntary contribution and not an imposed tax. Christian has been discussed as a suitable time and members of the local clergy believe that the plan can best be conducted under diocesan lines and the offering sent to a central bureau for transmission to the Holy See. Cardinal Gibbons has approved the plan and several of the dignitaries of the Catholic church have already expressed their commendation. In a letter to the Ecclesiastical Review, Archbishop O'Connell of Boston says: "I hasten to assure you that I am most heartily in favor of the movement. In fact this idea has been in my mind ever since my return to America as bishop of Portland. I have always felt that something of the kind should be done and could be done. The great thing now is that the movement should be started right, and I am not only in favor of it; I am enthusiastic over it."

Bishop Benjamin J. Kelly of Savannah, writing to the same publication, says: "It seems to me that if the bishops of each diocese would ask their priests to help the Holy Father they would be assured of a prompt and generous response. Personally I favor the idea of a New Year's offering, though the day and time is immaterial."

## GOVERNOR DIX

### WANTS ANOTHER CONFERENCE ON THE SENATORSHIPS

ALBANY, N. Y., March 7.—Gov. Dix expressed the hope last night that before the end of the present week a plan will have been formulated for another conference, to discuss the senatorial situation preliminary to a caucus to select a candidate in place of William F. Sheehan. The insurgents all along have expressed a willingness to enter another conference but when it comes to a suggested caucus they balk. There were no indications last night, however, of either a conference or caucus. The governor, himself said that no proposition from either side had come to him.

Some of the organization members admitted, however, that despite the assertions of Mr. Murphy that the regulars would continue to stand by Mr. Sheehan, there is a quiet movement under way to ascertain who, if Mr. Sheehan withdrew, would be the most available candidate. The governor reiterated that under no circumstances would he consent to become a compromise candidate even if both sides should agree upon him as a way out of the difficulty.



IVY AND IVY  
The Musical Entertainers at the Merrimack Square Theatre This Week.

## MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

From the time that Prof. Wardour gives the ivories the opening fiddle until the curtain falls on the last flickering moving picture there is not a dull moment at the Merrimack Square theatre, this week, for the bill is exceptionally good including the orchestra's contribution to the general entertainment. Every act was not only good but out of the ordinary run of vaudeville offerings. The headliner is Lora, the mental wonder, termed on the program "the human parrot." She could read figures blindfolded and could guess any old thing down to the amount of "paper" in the house. Ivy and Ivy are a couple of rare plants and their musical skit entitled "Woman, Woman, Woman" kept the audience laughing in smiles. Shorty Edwards is about as big as a half pint but he has a barrelful of fun concealed about his diminutive person. Miss May Duryea presents a most amusing sketch entitled "The Imposter." The pictures are of the "first run" order and constitute a whole show in themselves. Don't miss the Merrimack Square this week.

## THE OPERA HOUSE

Forrest Stanley and his company of players presented "The Call of the North" before an audience that crowded the Opera House last night. The cast is as follows:

Ned Trent.....Forrest Stanley  
Galen Albrecht.....J. H. Huntley  
Rodman Rand.....Charles J. Hallie  
John McDougall.....Frank M. Christie  
Sandy McTavish.....Frank Bertland  
Achille Picard.....Benedict MacQuarrie  
Dr. Coburn.....Russell Clark  
Archibald Crane.....Albert Hannan  
Mc-En-Gan.....F. M. Wright  
Julie Bagnieu.....Frances Whitehouse  
Virginia Albrecht.....Miss Sanders  
Mrs. Brockton.....Geraldine Russell

The play was seen here several seasons ago with Robert Edison in the



SCENE FROM "CALL OF THE NORTH" AT OPERA HOUSE

leading role. It was elaborately staged and the company was especially strong. Notwithstanding this, those who saw last night's performance admit that the play loses nothing by

comparison with the work of the Edison players. Mr. Stanley was right at home in the character of "Trent" and the life that he gave to his acting made it all the more attractive. The part is in a way rather deceiving, yet so well interpreted is it by Mr. Stanley, that one becomes all absorbed with interest in the lines and the different situations. Miss Sanders displayed great talent as "Virginia Albrecht" and the change from the class of character that she has assumed in previous productions, was a most pleasant surprise to her many friends. For her success she went to show the versatility of the young actress and her cleverness in adapting herself to different parts.

Benedict MacQuarrie scored a great success in the role of "Achille Picard," the half-breed. The part of "Julio Bagnieu," the half-breed girl, was most effectively portrayed by Miss Whitehouse. The Scotchmen were well looked after by Messrs. Christie and Bertland. Mr. Hannan was very strong as "Rodman Rand" and the minor characters were adequately assumed.

The story of the play is interesting. "Ned Trent," much of a free lance, wanders into the district and begins trapping "Galen Albrecht," the "factor" for the Hudson Bay Company—which lured over the millions of acres heard of "Trent's" offence, and he was discovered at his practices and sent away. Later he is found in the region asleep, his pelts taken from him and he is given another chance. A third time he is discovered and because he has saved the lives of men of the company, is about to be given a third chance. His colloquy with "Albrecht" wins for him "in long traverce" a method of punishment not uncommon with white infractors of the company's rules. It is said. This consisted of being turned loose into a trackless wild with one day's rations and without a rifle. All of which is told in the first act, by "Trent" himself.

He strives to get a rifle and finally persuades the daughter of "Albrecht" to give him hers. The romantic girl looks upon "Trent" as a hero, and he is willing that she shall, so long as he receives the rifle. He is followed by Indians and by "Rodman Rand," and in the hand to hand fight which ensues "Rand" is shot. Later "Trent" is brought back to the post, where a form of trial is gone through with. In this the play takes a sudden twist. "Albrecht" is shown as a murderer and "Trent's" course is settled clearly and satisfactorily.

The play will be given every afternoon and evening this week.

"THE PRINCE OF PULSEN" which is perhaps the most popular and successful musical comedy of American authorship produced within the past decade, will be presented with an all star cast at the Opera House on Wednesday, March 15.

In the organization are many who have taken part in its presentation since the night of its first production; others have been taken from the various companies that have played the piece, being chosen for the superior character of their work. The company character is the only one now now playing this popular work in this country. Jess Dandy, who has played the role of Hans Wagner, the brewer from "Zuzunato" more than 1500 times, will be seen again in that humorous impersonation. Edw. Hara, as the real Prince of Pulsen, gives the best performance this part has ever had and Ivor Anderson, a clever young actor and the possessor of a highly trained voice, will be the young naval lieutenant. Walter D. Catlett has the role of Lord Shrimpton and Robert O'Connor will be the Franciscan of the Hotel Internationale in Nice where the scene is laid. Frances Cameron, a talented actress and singer of large experience in musical comedy, and who for three seasons sang Sonia in "The Merry Widow," will play the part of the vivacious Elsie, and is credited with giving one of the best performances this character has ever had. Lillian Lawson, a clever comedienne, has the role of Sildonia, and petite Dorothy Deimore will play Jimmie, the bell boy. Vera Stanley makes a dainty figure as Nellie Wagner, the brewer's daughter.

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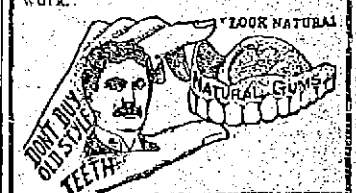
## GIFFORD PINCHOT

### DECLARES FOR INDEPENDENCE OF PARTY

AKRON, O., March 7.—Over 500 republicans, mostly progressives, in attendance at the Lincoln banquet here last night heard Gifford Pinchot, seconded by James H. Garfield of Cleveland and A. L. Garfield of Elkhart, O., declare in their speeches for independence of party rather than regularly to become free to corporate control of the nation's resources and of the republican party. O. C. Barber of Akron, O., also spoke. Cleveland had a delegation of 50 progressive republicans present and there were delegations from other northern cities and towns.

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## HATHAWAY THEATRE

The Hathaway was packed to its doors last night when the first presentation of the famous drama, "St. Elmo," was given by the Donald Meek Co. Another attraction was the first appearance of Miss Mabelle Estelle, the well known comedienne.

Nearly everyone is familiar with the plot of the story of "St. Elmo," from which the play is taken. It tells of a poor girl, Edna Earle, living among the poor whites of the Tennessee mountains, where St. Elmo is spending his summer, and of the latter's difficulties in a love affair in which he is the loser, and fights a duel with his rival, killing him. Having been deceived by the girl to whom he was engaged, St. Elmo loses faith in all mankind and, being rich, he leaves his home and roams the world over for many years.

In the meantime, Edna Earle, the poor girl from the mountains, who, by the way, had secretly witnessed the duel, had been injured in a train wreck and was found by St. Elmo's mother, who took her under her care. St. Elmo returns at different periods and finds Edna in his home. By keeping a certain trust with him, Edna gains

the confidence of St. Elmo, and finally wins him from his trustless, scoffing habits of life, and the story ends by St. Elmo's becoming a preacher, and upbuilding Edna.

Severin De Deyn as St. Elmo played in the best of style and as usual scored a great success. Perhaps he has never been seen in any play to better advantage than in the latter. His acting was superb.

Miss Estelle, although taking a different part than usual, that of "Edna Earle," which is very difficult to render, especially for Miss Estelle, who generally plays comedy, carried it with splendid success. She was greeted with great applause when she appeared on the stage, and her acting throughout was even better than before.

The little humor that could be injected into the play was furnished by Mr. Meek, who assumed the role of a colored servant. Ada Allen deserves much credit for her excellent portrayal of the character of "Mrs. Murray." St. Elmo's mother, William Thompson as "Her Alvin Hammond," also did very well. In fact the Meek company did the play full justice and the whole cast is to be commended for the excellent performance.

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## THEATRE VOYONS

Today the Theatre Voyons is showing a three-act production of Dickens' "Tale of Two Cities," a well-known story and one that has been played successfully under the names of "Sidney Carton" and "The Only Way." The continuation of a story for three reels lasting a full hour is a notable

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## TEWKSBURY VOTERS BANDITS EXECUTED

Not in Favor of Establishing a Paid Death Penalty For Crime  
Water Supply Plant Committed in Lynn

At the Tewksbury town meeting yesterday it was voted not to establish a water plant for the town. The proposition to install a water plant was probably the most important article on the warrant. The fact, however, that the town did not vote to establish the water plant does not mean that the town will not have a new water supply. A few men have banded together in Tewksbury for the purpose of installing a water system. These men have had the water question under discussion for some time and have made all preliminary arrangements for a water supply for fire and domestic purposes. They were willing that the town should take the proposition over and make it a town affair, but in view of the fact that the town frowned upon it, they will go ahead and do business.

Yesterday's town meeting was well attended, but there was little or no excitement. It was expected that the water supply question would develop some argument but the question was disposed of very quietly. The town, as usual, voted no license.

The vote for town officers was as follows:

For town clerk—John H. Chandler, 182.

For selectmen—Jeremiah K. Chandler, 127; Harry L. Shedd, 155; Buzzell King, 188; Joseph G. Duffy, 121. The first three were elected.

For overseers of the poor—Buzzell King, 184; Harry L. Shedd, 153; Jeremiah K. Chandler, 130; Joseph G. Duffy, 114. The first three were elected.

For board of health—Buzzell King, 185; Harry L. Shedd, 149; Jeremiah K. Chandler, 128; Joseph G. Duffy, 117. The first three were elected.

Assessor for three years—Albert C. Blaisdell, 134; Joel Phelps, 43. Mr. Blaisdell was elected.

Treasurer for one year—Albert S. Moore, 177.

School committee for three years—Glarence B. Clark, 105; Edith Ames Stevens, 79. Mr. Clark was elected.

Auditor for one year—James W. Miller, 191.

Collector of taxes for one year—Melvin G. Rogers, 194.

Constables for one year—Frank H. Farmer and James Mawley, elected.

Trustees of public library for three years—Sarah A. Dixon, 145; William

H. Lee, 133; Edgar Strauss, 18. The first two named were elected.

Road commissioners for three years—George E. Marshall, 144; John H. Lyman, 19. Mr. Marshall was elected.

Tree warden—Harold M. Briggs, 135.

Park commissioner for three years—Harold M. Briggs, 3; Henry M. Billings, 8.

Park commissioner for one year to fill a vacancy—M. A. Patten, 11.

The officers went over the ballots for park commissioner for three years several times in an effort to break the tie between Messrs. Billings and Briggs, but were unable to do so.

Mr. Trull offered a resolution to the effect that a committee of three be appointed to confer with the Boston & Northern officials for the purpose of obtaining a more adequate and effective service through the town.

The resolution was adopted, and a committee of three, comprising Henry M. Billings, Frank P. Putnam and Melvin Rogers, was named.

Surveyors of lumber were elected as follows: John Anderson, William T. Lewis, Peter W. Cameron, James W. Miller and H. A. Wilson.

The following were named as measurers of wood and bark: John Anderson, William T. Lewis, Peter W. Cameron, H. A. Wilson and James W. Miller.

George E. Marshall was elected town appraiser, and George H. Brown, sexton, also janitor of the grange hall and library. Henry Norris was elected janitor of the town hall.

The vote on the license question stood: No, 57; yes, 10.

Reports of town officers were accepted. The report of the town treasurer, Albert S. Moore, showed assets to the amount of \$10,054.50, with liabilities amounting to \$8277.77, representing a balance of \$1776.73. This is the first time in nine years that the town has had a balance to its credit. In 1904 the town owed \$30,285.79. The present tax rate is \$14.60.

Under article 4 a committee was appointed to consider the estimates for the ensuing year, and to make recommendations as to appropriations. This committee made the following report which was accepted:

Schools, \$8300; highways, \$800. In addition to money expended from the excise and street railway tax: Incidentals, \$250; town farm, \$200; police, \$300; health, \$200; stationery and printing, \$400; salaries, \$1500; tree warden, \$25; insane and poor, \$350.

**MAYOR KILLED**

**AFTER A ROW ABOUT LITIGATION IN COURT**

PINEVILLE, La., March 7.—J. E. Walker, mayor of this city, was shot and instantly killed yesterday by William McManus, after a row about litigation in the district court. When McManus aimed, Walker ran, but the bullet entered the latter's back. McManus was captured and placed in jail.

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WASSILI IVANOWSKI

## Ipsen Smiled as He Was Going to the Death Chair—His Companion, Ivankowski, Displayed Bravado to the Last

BOSTON, March 7.—For the murder last summer of Thomas A. Landregan, a wealthy shoe manufacturer of Lynn, and Patrolman James H. Carroll, of the Lynn police force, in a bold daylight robbery, Andrei Ipsen, 19, and Wassili Ivankowski, 22, were electrocuted at the Charlestown state prison early this morning.

Ipsen was the first to enter the death chamber and at 12:12.33 the current was applied. He was declared dead at 12:13.13. Ivankowski followed about five minutes later, the current being turned on at 12:23.45 and he being pronounced dead at 12:30.35.

Ipsen who was the first to meet death was led to the chair by the prison guards and as he was placed in the seat he gave a nod of recognition to the officials of the Essex county house of correction who had formerly been his keeper. Father A. D. Malley accompanied the prisoner and audibly repeated the Lord's prayer, holding his crucifix before the prisoner's eyes, until the death mask shut out his sight forever.

Ivankowski, who had since his arrest declared disbelief in any God, walked to his death laughing and sneering, talking audibly in Russian all the time. He seated himself unaided in the chair and pronounced a bravado met the death dealing current with a smile overspreading his features.

The two men were dead within 20 minutes of the time the first victim entered the death chamber.

Both men were given 1900 volts having an amperage of from 1 1/2 to 2.

Chief Justice Alton of the supreme court, Dr. George Burgess MacGrath, medical examiner of Suffolk county, and Dr. Chas. C. Foster, surgeon general of Massachusetts, the three legal witnesses, Dr. J. E. O'Shea, city physician of Lynn, who attended the men following their crimes; Dr. Joseph B. Lyons of Charlestown; John G. Bennett, deputy master of the Essex county house of correction; Rev. A. D. Malley, prison chaplain and Jay B. Benton of the Boston Transcript, the press representative.

Story of Crime

The crime for which Wassili Ivankowski and Andrei Ipsen were executed at the state prison early today was the murder at Lynn of Thomas A. Landregan, a prominent shoe manufacturer of Lynn, and Patrolman James H. Carroll of the Lynn police force. The murder was prompted by robbery and was one of the boldest and most sensational ever committed in Massachusetts.

On Saturday, June 25, Mr. Landregan, accompanied by Patrolman Carroll as a bodyguard, was returning

from a Lynn bank to his factory carrying the factory's weekly pay-roll, about \$4500, in a bag. On Oxford street three men approached the manufacturer and the policeman from behind.

Without a word of warning Landregan and Carroll were shot dead in their tracks and the murderers, seizing the bag filled with money, started on a dash through the streets toward High Rock, an eminence overlooking the city.

The murder of Landregan and Carroll was witnessed by a number of persons, who immediately started in pursuit. The three bandits turned about from time to time, firing at their pursuers.

Within a few moments after the murder police and citizens, armed and conveyed in dozens of automobiles, had made the capture of the bandits impossible. The three murderers when they reached the summit of High Rock, hastily divided the paper currency that was in the bag and then endeavored to escape in the direction of Boston.

They were headed off by their pursuers, several shots were exchanged, and during the fight with the police one of the bandits was killed.

This man has never been identified and is known to the police only by the abbreviated name of "Joe."

Ipsen was seriously wounded and Ivankowski surrendered to the authorities.

The trial of Ivankowski and Ipsen opened in November last before Chief Justice Alton of the Massachusetts superior court in the Essex county court house at Salem. The trial lasted only a few days, and after deliberating less than two hours, the jury on Nov. 18 returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree in the case of both men. Sentence of death was pronounced the same day.

Ipsen received the sentence in a stolid manner, but as Ivankowski was being led back to jail he addressed some threatening words to the judge, declaring that the judge would be sorry later.

The case of Ivankowski and Ipsen is almost unique in Massachusetts criminal jurisprudence inasmuch as less than nine months elapsed from the time of the commission of the crime to the execution in the electric chair.

## LABOR LEADERS

SAID TO BE URGING THE ELECTION OF SHEEHAN

ELMIRA, N. Y., March 7.—Dr. John Seely of Woodhull, an assemblyman from Steuben county, in an interview with a newspaper correspondent at Corning last night said that he felt himself freed from all doubts as to the choice of the democratic caucus which chose William F. Sheehan as the nominee for United States senator, by the recent statement given out by Governor Dix. Mr. Seely was on his way to resume his legislative duties at Albany. Assemblyman Seely said:

"I don't know to how great an extent the statement made by Governor Dix will affect the democratic members of the legislature, but I expect a general loosening up as the result of it. Personally I feel that it has freed me. I believe that if a secret ballot were to be taken today, a majority of the democrats would be found to be against the further continuance of Mr. Sheehan's candidacy."

"If however it is up to the leaders to settle this matter, the interests of the party are being sacrificed by continuing Mr. Sheehan in the race when he cannot be elected. Great pressure is being brought to bear on the so-called insurgents. Union labor is exerting its influence in behalf of Sheehan. Only today I was approached by a labor leader from Buffalo."

**WOMAN SUFFRAGE**

CARSON, Nev., March 7.—A resolution submitting the question of woman suffrage to a vote of the people was adopted yesterday by the assembly. It is believed that the senate also will adopt the resolution.

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CHURCH FEDERATION GENERAL STRIKE  
Permanently Organized at a Meeting Held Last Night

The Lowell Federation of Churches was permanently organized last night at a meeting held in Kitchin hall. The original constitution with a few minor changes was adopted.

Rev. J. E. Gregg, chairman of the provisional committee, called the meeting to order and Rev. H. W. Hook acted as secretary. When the roll was called it was found that there were 26 churches represented. The report of the provisional committee was accepted and Revs. J. E. Gregg and H. W. Hook were chosen as chairman and clerk of the meeting.

The next matter taken up was the proposed constitution and each article was discussed separately. Several minor changes were made and it was then unanimously voted to adopt the constitution.

The chairman named the following committee to present a list of nominations for officers and executive committee:

Harvey B. Greene, Rev. A. R. Ellis, B. R. Clements, Rev. J. W. Stephan and Miss Emily Skilton.

Before the report of the nominating committee, Mr. Herbert Carleton, general secretary of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, was introduced and presented the work of the "Men in Religion" movement, the purpose of which is to increase the male membership in the various churches represented in the movement.

The work was supported in brief remarks by Rev. S. W. Cummings, Rev. George F. Kenngott, Dr. Yarnell of the Y. M. C. A. The matter was then referred to the executive committee, with the recommendation that that body, if it considers such action advisable, shall appoint a committee of five to take steps to put the movement forward in Lowell.

The following officers named by the nominating committee were elected: President, Rev. J. E. Gregg; Vice president, Mr. F. A. Bowen; Secretary, Rev. James Bancroft; Treasurer, Mr. John Perry.

The executive committee, which, as provided by the constitution, consists of the above officers and one ministerial and one lay representative from each of the denominations represented in the Federation, is as follows:

Baptist, Rev. S. W. Cummings, Mr. Wm. F. Ellis; Congregational, Rev. George F. Kenngott, Mr. J. W. Griffin; Methodist, Rev. H. W. Hook, Mr. Henry O. Brooks; Episcopal, Rev. A. St. John Chamber, Mr. B. W. Clements; Presbyterian, Rev. J. M. Craig, Miss E. M. Skilton; United Presbyterian, Rev. S. A. Jackson, Mr. O. G. Cameron; Free Baptist, Rev. J. C. Wilson, Mr. W. O. Brown; Unitarian, Rev. C. T. Billings, Mr. Walter Coburn; Universalist, Rev. C. E. Fisher, Mr. James S. Hastings; Ministry-at-Large, Rev. George C. Wright, Mr. Harvey B. Green.

During the course of the meeting it was voted by the members of the federation to request the Lowell delegation to oppose the repeal of the bar and bottle bill.

The federation also passed a vote favoring the appointment of five general delegates to sit with the Trades and Labor council, in accordance with an invitation extended by a representative of that council. This matter will come before the executive committee for further action.

## FINE PROGRAM

ENJOYED BY MEMBERS OF BOOK- A-MONTH CLUB

A very interesting as well as enjoyable meeting of the Book-a-Month club was held last night at the home of Mrs. J. Clark Gilden, 1236 Middlesex street. A business meeting was held during the early part of the evening after which an entertainment program followed.

The members responded to roll call with quotations from the lives of Lucy Larcom and a short account of her life and works was given. Miss Sadie Jardine read a paper written by Miss Lucy Hill, formerly of this city, on the political situation of the time. Mrs. William E. Kezer gave an account of point lace and Miss Ella Carlton read a paper written by Mrs. L. E. Kimball on "corn." Miss Jardine had charge of the current events topic and the book and magazine reports. There were games pertaining to St. Patrick and Mrs. Kezer won the prizes. The colors in the dining room were green and the national colors. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Wesley M. Wilder, Mrs. Arthur Ferguson and Mrs. John J. Hibbs.

NEW YORK, March 7.—A vote will be taken tonight upon the question of a general strike by the 50,000 teamsters in New York in sympathy with grocery wagon drivers who recently struck for uniform hours. The vote will be taken by delegates of the various local unions at a meeting which will follow an effort by the grocery drivers to press their case to a settlement with the employers.

Leaders of the drivers asserted last night that almost every teamster in the city was ready to strike if necessary.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We, the undersigned, desire to thank our neighbors and kind friends for their sympathy expressed to us in our recent bereavement by their many acts of kindness and for the beautiful floral gifts sent for the funeral of our beloved one.

Mrs. Anna F. Sperry and daughter, Mrs. Harry O. Muldo.

**BRITISH NAVY ESTIMATES**

LONDON, March 7.—It is stated that the navy estimates show an increase of only \$17,500,000, the call for new construction not being so insistent as had been anticipated.

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotto, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 2, 1911. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

Tyngsboro does not seem to care whether the Country club sells out, moves out or dies out.

Draught, Tewksbury and Tyngsboro have decided to remain in the no-license column at least for another year. They can thus avoid the possible application of the bar and bottle law.

Peary and his friends seem to think that an explorer and an admiral mean one and the same thing. The explorer must be able to stand the cold of the icy north, the admiral the intense heat of battle.

The Lynn bandits went to the electric chair more quickly than did any Massachusetts murderer for a long time. The murder was committed on June 25 and the electrocution not quite nine months afterwards.

## CIVIL SERVICE RULES FOR COUNTY EMPLOYEES

Strange as it may seem the civil service law up to the present has not been applied to the employees of counties. There is no reason that we can see why this should be so, and hence the bill now before the legislature with that object in view should receive general support.

The employees of the counties should be regulated by law just as much as those under state or municipal control. The appointments of subordinate officials in the counties should be under the same regulations as now control state employees, and selections should be made from the eligible list prepared after an impartial examination.

## THE NOXIOUS CIGARETTE HABIT

The local police have received a number of complaints relative to stores that sell cigarettes to boys. The cigarette habit is so detrimental to boys that it is necessary to enforce the law quite strictly, and there is little doubt that the complaints reaching the police station will cause Supt. Welch to have his officers look sharply after this particular offence.

It is alleged that some men who indulge in the habit send boys to stores for cigarettes, and the boys come back with the packages ordered. Sometimes the same boys call in for packages of cigarettes on their own account, and say they were sent by older persons. Similarly they receive what they require on payment of the price.

The cigarette habit has proved the ruin of so many boys that it is prohibited in a number of business establishments in different parts of the city. Smoking in general is prohibited in many, but the cigarette habit is singled out for special exclusion in others where the pipe or cigar is allowed. It is to be hoped that this example will be followed so that men and boys who become addicted to the cigarette habit will find it to their advantage to lay it aside.

## FOR MORE REGULAR STREETS

There is a bill before the legislature on petition of Mayor Meehan providing that no street shall be accepted by the city until it be approved by the superintendent of streets, the city engineer and the mayor. Much of the irregularity of our city streets is due to the fact that property owners laid out the streets to suit the size of their lots and their own convenience without regard to lineality or public convenience as to width and direction. As a result it often happens that city streets are crooked, too narrow and laid out without due regard to the needs of the locality or the general appearance of the district.

When a land owner decides to cut up his land into building lots he lays streets through it in a manner best calculated to aid in disposing of the rest of the land. He does not consider convenience or direction that connection with other streets would dictate, and as a result the streets are angular and irregular in many instances.

The bill now before the legislature should have been enacted twenty-five years ago. Had such a law been in force then, we should now have a more beautiful city. This bill is in line with the city beautiful, and will accomplish a great deal in that direction if enacted and properly enforced.

## THE MAGAZINE POSTAL RATES

There is a good deal of misapprehension in regard to the proposition to increase the rates on magazines on account of their valuable advertising. The government has proposed this as a means of making up the deficit in its revenues. Some people, however, are of the opinion that by the proposed change the government would lose as much as it would gain. The advertising in magazines implies a lot of other business, such as correspondence between the advertisers and the agents, on copy from agents or advertisers, on proofs, on bills, remittances, letters to readers, orders from readers to advertisers, postage on goods mailed to readers, on bills from publishers to subscribers, first and third class postage on letters soliciting subscriptions and various other reasons for correspondence arising from the mail order business which is now so extensive all over the country. What is said of advertising in the magazines as resulting from correspondence and followed by more correspondence is equally true of the foreign advertising in the newspapers, so that it is easily seen how this business is built up.

It is true at the same time that magazines charge such high prices for advertising and for the magazines themselves that they can well afford to pay "higher rates" without being seriously disturbed; but whether they could pay the increase proposed by the postal department without being seriously affected is a question that experts alone can decide. It is equally a question for the experts to what extent the increase in rates would be offset by a falling off in the business incidental to magazine advertising. The matter has now been left to a commission of experts, and upon the report of their investigation will depend the action of congress as to whether the rates will be increased.

## SEEN AND HEARD

One clear, cold winter's day Benjamin Franklin spread a number of handkerchiefs carefully on a level stretch of snow. One of the handkerchiefs was black, another white and the others of various colors. Some time afterward he returned and removed the handkerchiefs carefully one by one, measuring the depth of snow under each. Under the black handkerchief he found that the snow had melted considerably; under a red handkerchief almost as much; under a blue handkerchief, very little; and under the white one, scarcely any. By this simple experiment he learned that color has a great deal to do with the warmth of clothing. White sheds the sun's heat almost as well as an oilskin sheds water; blue is nearly as heatproof; green is less so; yellow is a warmer color; red a still warmer color, while black soaks up almost all the sun's heat that strikes it. Try the experiment before the snow goes, and you will see why black clothes are out of place in summertime and white decks in winter. —Christian Herald.

"Have you ever thought that you would care to marry a man with a title?" he asked.  
"Really," she pretended to make light of it, "I have never thought much about it."  
"Still, I suppose if a man with a title were to come along you would not treat him coldly merely because he happened to have a handle to his name?"  
"Well, I have no doubt that there are some very good men who possess titles."

"Let us suppose, for instance, that I had a title."  
"I can't imagine such a thing."  
"But if such a thing could be?"  
"I hardly know what you mean."  
"Why, if I had a title and came to you with a proposal of marriage, would you be disposed to listen to me kindly?"  
"But you haven't any title, and you

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are never likely to have one."  
"You are mistaken. I have a title."  
"Silly! Why do you say that?"  
"It's a fact. I've been appointed a colonel on the governor's staff."  
"Why can't you be serious?"  
"I am serious. I'll show you my commission if you wish to see it."  
"Do you get a salary for being a colonel on the governor's staff?"  
"No, but I have the right to wear a splendid uniform at public functions."  
"Oh, Harry! Did you really mean it when you proposed a moment ago?"  
—Chicago News.

WHY?  
There are problems in this busy world. To solve are mighty tough. Pray tell us why the smallest girl should tote the biggest muffs?  
—Chicago News.

Or why the very smallest maid puts on the fearful "rat" And staggers down the street beneath A flower garden hat?  
—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Or why the girl with feet too big For ordinary shoes the shoe clerk she Goes in and feels the shoe clerk she Would like a pair of twos?  
—Houston Post.

Or why the dainty maiden small, Who measures four-feet-one, Must wed a buster six feet tall, Who weighs about a ton?  
—Springfield Union.

Or why the girl so thin and pale, Ecclipsed by monster hat, Should have no eyes for any one Except the man who's fat?  
—Birmingham Age-Herald.

WOMAN'S CROWNING GLORY. She was little, petite and dainty. With complexion clear and fair. And she had that crowning glory Of a woman—gleaming hair. But she could not be contented With the locks of Nature's gift. So she sought a swell hairdresser's Just to give her locks a lift. And that swell hairdresser fixed it With a little bunch of jute, worked in puffs and ringlets cute, piled them on her curly cap—and she thought herself a "beaut."

First she brushed the gleaming tresses. Till they waved about her face; Then she took a peck of hairpins Aimed to hold the hair in place. After which, with much painstaking, Out of wire lying by She began to lay foundation. For her hair must maintain high. Yes, that most expert hairdresser made a frame of wire, like a prison built for rats, and piled jute and hair around it with about a million pats.

Then she made some corkscrew ring-lets. Out of jute scraps that were left, And proceeded to apply them In a manner quick and deft. Then above the whole creation She stuck on with glowing pride A be-ribboned and be-flowered Hat with brim some four feet wide. Then this sweet, top-heavy maiden With her wad of phoney hair, took a stroll to get the air, thinking that the folk who saw her thought her hair was on the square.

## PEOPLE OF NOTE

One is reminded forcibly of Thackeray's "Hogyn Mogyn of the Honored Beaves," the ancestor of Sir Alfred de Mogyns (formerly Muggins), when one reads that at the christening of Lord Fitzwilliam's son one of the family relics displayed was a Norman scarf which had been given by William the Conqueror to an ancestor of the family after the battle of Hastings! It is well known that the ancient Yorkshire family of Fitzwilliam of Spoutborough, became extinct early in the reign of Henry VIII, when their estate passed (through heiresses) to the Copleys and the Saviles. The ancestor of Lord Fitzwilliam was Alderman Sir William Fitzwilliam, a wealthy London merchant in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, and when he wanted to find a pedigree the obliging heralds managed by some ruse to connect him with the well known Yorkshire family, but he really had no more to do with

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them than with the De Veres or the Howards.

When the debate on the second reading of the naval estimates for 1911 was on in the Reichstag, Grand Admiral von Tirpitz made a sort of anodyne speech in which he assumed to explain the purpose of German naval development. From the beginning, he said, the German navy had never been intended for aggressive purposes, but German sea power must be such that any other great nation would be taking a risk in attacking Germany.

He said the navy laws were the only method by which the government could speedily create the desired amount of sea power, with the available funds. If the fluctuations of public opinion had to be combated every year the development would have been much slower.

In another speech the grand admiral tried to soothe the English anxieties. He said: "It is a quite astonishing mistake in England that we have accelerated the construction of our navy outside the provisions of the navy law. That would have been possible only if the Reichstag had voted us the money for the purpose. In point of fact we have not had a penny for the said law since 1906. It is a strange purpose, and so we have been strangely affected by this assertion that has been made in England."

In the course of the debate a socialist deputy, Herr Hue, attacked the Krupp firm. Admitting that it spent much money on social institutions, he said it had increased the whole Essen region like a fungus. Forty per cent of the workers' dwellings were of two rooms with one bed for four or five persons, while the profits of the Krupp family alone in the last three years were \$11,700,000.

von Tirpitz simply replied that hardly any other firm in the world had done so much to improve the housing and social conditions of its workmen.

## LORIMER PLEASED

With Way the Chicago

People Received Him

CHICAGO, March 7.—The return of United States Senator William Lorimer to his home here after being cleared of the charges of bribery made against him in the upper house, caused a remarkable demonstration to be made by his friends. The demonstration is considered especially noteworthy because of the expressed belief of many people that he should not have been allowed to retain his seat in the senate. Ten thousand friends and two hands crowded the Pennsylvania station. There were William Hale Thompson, master of ceremonies; Judge Elbridge Haney, former counsel for the senator; Edward Hines, the lumber millionaire; Congressman Ferd



LORIMER'S RETURN TO CHICAGO

Lundin, Alderman Michael Kenna (Hinky Dink) of the senator's newsboy days and almost a thousand leaders of the Lorimer wing of the republican party in the gathering. After greetings at the station the senator was placed in an automobile, and with seventy machines behind there began a procession to the Lorimer home in Douglas boulevard. All along Jackson boulevard crowds lined the sidewalks and cheered the senator. At Garfield park he was greeted by a big crowd of women and children. They carried wreaths, bunches of violets and other flowers, which they threw into the Lorimer machine until it was filled. At the approach to Douglas boulevard one band played "Home Sweet Home" and the other "Auld Lang Syne." However, a demonstration of an opposite nature occurred at Rockford, Ill. At a mass meeting attended by 2000 residents of Winnebago county and marked by enthusiasm that was more intense than that shown at political conventions the resignation

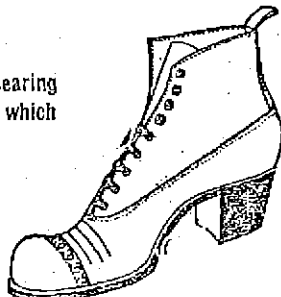
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\$1.49

Skating Boots and Storm Boots, for large boys, sizes 1 to 6, heavy grain leathers, tan or black. Sold for \$2.50 and \$3, now

\$1.85

# IN POLICE COURT

## Man Gets Eight Months to Jail--

### Heavy Fines Imposed

Peter Ducharme, Peter Paquin and Joseph Richard who appeared before the court last week charged with breaking and entering the junk shop of John Mayo in Coldridge street, and stealing copper, were to have been given a hearing before Judge Hadley today but when their cases were called Deputy Downey informed the court that the defendants had been brought before the grand jury yesterday and would ask for a continuance till next Monday in order to ascertain what disposition the grand jury would make. The court granted the request. Eight Months in Jail. Louis Perreault was charged with two counts of larceny. The first alleged that on March 2 he stole a pair of harness and pair of traces valued at \$3 the property of Samuel Cote, while in

of Senators William E. Lorimer and Shelby M. Cullom was demanded. The resolutions were passed after the assembly had been brought to high indignation by speeches denouncing the senators who voted for Lorimer's retention and the senator himself. The citizens' committee which arranged the meeting planned only to demand the retirement of Mr. Lorimer, but before the resolution had been read in full citizens shouted, "Take both resign!" and "Put Cullom out too!" Attorney A. E. Hunter, secretary of the citizens' committee, finished reading the resolution, and then the assembly heard the slow tolling of the bell in the steeple of the Second Presbyterian church, one stroke for each of the forty-six senators who voted to retain Lorimer.

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Mr. Omer Bernard is visiting his  
brother, Mr. Odion Bernard, in Attle-  
boro.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Chalfoux, Mr.  
Harry Chalfoux and Miss Chalfoux,  
returned Saturday from a trip to Flor-  
ida.

Mrs. Albert Cribby and daughter, of  
West Somerville, and Mr. Raymond  
Mackenzie of Dorchester, were guests  
over the week-end of Mrs. H. F. Rab-  
cour, 551 Bridge street.

The Misses Pratte of Ennell street  
gave a delightful musicale at their  
home, Sunday night. Besides their  
own songs, the violin numbers played  
by Mr. Latereire were particularly ad-  
mired.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. O'Connell of  
Brighton were visitors in Lowell yes-  
terday. Mr. O'Connell was formerly  
connected with the fire department and  
was a member of Hose 7 in Central  
street.

## POLICE COURT

Continued

The second count he was charged with  
the larceny of a pair of reins, bridle  
and 75 pounds of iron chain, all of the  
value of \$7.50 the property of Harold  
M. Fox of Braintree. Perreault admitted  
that he had taken the reins and bridle  
belonging to Mr. Fox, but denied that  
he had anything to do with articles  
belonging to Mr. Fox.

The first matter taken up was the  
larceny of the articles from Mr. Fox.  
Mr. Fox said that the bridle and reins  
were kept in his stable and when one  
of the men went to look for them Fri-  
day morning found that they were  
missing. Philip Tessier said that he  
purchased the articles from the defend-  
ant, the latter claiming that he was  
going out of business and wanted to  
get rid of them. William B. Reedy,  
who keeps a junk shop, said he pur-  
chased chains from the defendant, and  
said having given him the name as Frank  
Willard. Inspector Charles Lallanme  
said that he and Patrolman Breault  
arrested Perreault last Friday.

Samuel Cote testified that he keeps a  
wood yard in Tilden street and missed  
traces and hames from his barn. He  
knew Perreault but did not see him  
about the place.

Mrs. Cote, wife of the complainant,  
said Perreault called at the home Fri-  
day and asked if Mr. Cote was there.  
When he was informed that Mr. Cote  
was away he inquired as to when he  
would return. Mrs. Cote said she did  
not know. Perreault then went away  
but later Mrs. Cote saw him leaving  
the place with a bundle under his arm  
and the traces were hanging out of the  
bundle.

Perreault, testifying in his own de-  
fense, said he had taken the articles  
from Mr. Fox's place but he went to  
Mr. Cote's place to sell them and that  
he was the harness taken from Mr.  
Fox's place that Mrs. Cote saw.

Deputy Downes, shown by the rec-  
ords that Perreault had been before  
the court on many occasions for dif-  
ferent offenses including drunkenness,  
threatening, assault and battery, bur-  
glary, being a disorderly person and  
non-support, and at the present time  
he is on parole from the state farm.  
Judge Hadley found him guilty and  
ordered him sentenced to jail for four  
months on each offense.

Fine of \$5 imposed  
Rosanna A. Gauvin, charged with  
selling a preparation of opium to wit:  
One ounce of Gauvin's Anesthetic Syrup  
having more than one-third of a grain  
of morphine, contrary to the pure food  
laws, entered a plea of nolo contendere  
and a fine of \$5 was imposed.

Milk Cases  
Amose P. Best pleaded guilty to a  
complaint charging him with having  
milk below the standard, and a charge  
of \$100 was imposed. Walter Andrews,  
who pleaded guilty to a similar charge,  
was fined \$60.

Guilty of Larceny  
Bartholomew O'Neil pleaded guilty  
to complaints of drunkenness and the  
larceny of \$1 in money from Stephen  
F. Murphy. Patrolman Abbott testi-  
fied that O'Neil went to Murphy's  
room and while the latter was asleep  
extracted \$1 from Murphy's pocket.  
The court found him guilty and im-  
posed a fine of \$10.

Drunken Offenders  
The case of John Stevens, charged  
with drunkenness, was continued (11)  
tomorrow morning at the request of  
the government.

James Murray, who came into court  
yesterday morning in an intoxicated  
condition to answer to a charge of  
drunkenness, and who was sent be-  
fore to recuperate, pleaded guilty to drun-  
kenness this morning and a fine of \$5  
was imposed.

George A. Benton, who belongs in  
Hollis, N. H., and came to this city a  
few weeks ago with a roll of money  
and was afterwards arrested for  
drunkenness and sent to the city farm  
for treatment, was in court this morn-  
ing and after being given good advice  
by Judge Hadley was fined \$2.

Frank Maudry was fined \$6,  
and three first offenders were fined \$2 each.

## DEATHS

JONES—Dr. Albert Mark Jones, for-  
merly with the A. W. Dows Co. of this  
city, died suddenly last Thursday at  
his home in Milw. He leaves two  
brothers, John L. Jones of Chelmsford  
and A. F. Jones of this city. The Milw.  
correspondent of the Bangor News last  
Friday said the following:  
"A wave of profound sorrow passed  
over this town Thursday morning  
when it became known that Dr. Albert  
Mark Jones had passed away early in  
the morning after an illness of less  
than a week with pneumonia. The  
deceased was only 29 years of age at  
the time of his unexpected demise, and  
a host of friends join with his rela-  
tives in mourning the loss of a good  
physician, public spirited citizen and  
true friend."

"Dr. Jones was born in the town of  
Brooks, and was educated in the pub-  
lic schools of that town; graduated  
from Maine Central Institute and from  
Boston college in the class of 1895 and  
in 1904 from the Maine Medical col-  
lege, and spent a couple of years at  
the Eastern Maine General hospital in  
Bangor before engaging in the prac-  
tice in his chosen profession."

"In 1905 he opened an office in this  
town in the Dutch & Thompson block,  
and before long he was recognized as the  
principles of his profession, of a  
kindly, genial disposition, and always  
ready to heed the call of the sick, he  
at once met with success. Later he  
had an office in the Bank block, and  
finally two years ago he purchased the  
Daggett place on Main street, where  
he has since resided and had his office."

"Of an energetic and untiring na-  
ture, the good physician undoubtedly  
overworked himself and heeding not  
his own tired body. He was  
unwilling to make a mark in his pro-  
fession and his ambition was gratified,  
for he was known and honored as a  
skilful physician and surgeon, and in  
many homes in this vicinity his death  
will be sincerely regretted, and his  
cheery presence missed by many an  
invalid, who welcomed the coming of  
one who always had a cheerful word,  
which came from a kind heart."

"He married Miss Effie G. Whitten  
of this town, Sept. 8, 1906, and one  
son has been born to them, and the  
sympathy of the entire community  
goes out to the heartbroken young  
wife and infant child."

"The deceased was an active member  
of the Free Baptist church, a member  
of Piscataquis lodge of Free and Ac-  
cepted Masons, and a member of Ban-  
ner Tent, No. 21, Knights of the Mas-  
cabees of the World, and the N. E. O.  
F."

"In his death, the town mourns the  
loss of one of its most valued citizens.  
He was one of the local officers of the  
Boy Scouts of America, taking an  
active interest in the movement, and  
giving valuable time to instructing the  
boys, and his death was a great blow  
to them."

Funeral services were held on Sun-  
day in the Free Baptist church.

GUERTIN—Theophilus Guertin, an

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very latest design, which also recently cost \$125.00; one of the very latest  
electric meat and bone grinder which cost \$200.00; also plates meat cases,  
meat blocks, meat tables of the latest design, meat tools of every description,  
meat scales, one first class truck scale with all the attachments, one new cash  
register, one office roll-top desk, and other fixtures too numerous to men-  
tion.

Promptly at 2 p. m. on the above date I shall sell namely: 3 first class  
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grocery wagons, nearly new; 1 rubber tired Concord wagon, 2 me-  
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THIS IS THE SORT OF PUBLIC SPIRIT THAT INJURES LOWELL.

old resident, died yesterday at the  
Lowell General Hospital, aged 68  
years, 2 months. The body was re-  
moved to the home, 3 Rockdale avenue,  
by Undertaker Joseph Albert. The  
deceased left four sons, Joseph, of St.  
Timothee, Que., Henri, Napoleon and  
Adelard, of Lowell, and six daughters,  
Mrs. Fred Rockville, Mrs. Louis Lor-  
anger, Mrs. Jeffrey Casette and Misses  
Cordelia, Rose and Young, all of  
Lowell. He was a member of Union  
Sanctuary of Champlain, Union St.  
Joseph and the Holy Family sodality  
of St. Joseph's parish.

MOFFITT—Miss Flora I. Moffitt  
died yesterday at her home, 502 Wild-  
er street, aged 53 years. She is sur-  
vived by three sisters, Mrs. Nettie B.  
Mason of this city, Miss Mary Moffitt  
of Boston and Mrs. Warren D. Moffitt  
of Los Angeles, California. Miss Moffitt  
was for many years a teacher in the  
Highland school.

BOSLEY—Isaac Raymond Bosley  
died yesterday at the Lowell hospital,  
after a brief illness, aged 35 years. Mr.  
Bosley was a well known resident of  
Centralville.

KNEELAND—Mrs. Dintha E.  
Kneeland, wife of Seymour L. Kneeland,  
died at her home in Tewksbury  
Centre, yesterday. Besides her hus-  
band she leaves a daughter, Mrs. Ar-  
thur Bartlett of Lowell, and one son,  
Lawrence H. Kneeland of Bridgeport,  
Conn.

RICHARDS—The many friends of  
Leonard J. Richards, an old-time resi-  
dent of Lowell, will be pained to learn  
of his death, which occurred at his  
residence, 284 High street, Monday,  
March 6, at the ripe age of 56 years,  
4 months, 9 days.

He was born in Ellentown, N. H.,  
coming to Lowell at the age of 11  
years and, with the exception of a few  
years spent in California, he had al-  
ways been a resident here. He was a  
man by trade, learning the business  
with Wilder Bennett, and assisted in  
building some of the large cotton mills  
and other public buildings in this city.  
He later entered into partnership with  
his brother, Luther Richards, in the

building moving business, which at  
that time was carried on to a large  
extent. He retired some 35 years ago.  
He was a member of Oberlin lodge  
of Odd Fellows, Evening Star Rebe-  
kabs, and of St. Paul's M. E. church  
for many years.

He leaves to mourn him a wife, Mrs.  
Martha J. Richards and one daughter,  
Mrs. Edna A. Kuznetsov of Sacramento,  
Cal. He never entered into politics,  
always leading a quiet home life.

CALLAHAN—Mrs. Margaret A.  
Callahan, aged 45 years, died this  
morning at the Lowell hospital. She  
leaves a husband, Philip H., three sis-  
ters, Mrs. William Tuxbury of Ames-  
bury, Mrs. Hudson Barrows of Haver-  
hill, Mrs. Harry Downs of Lynn, one  
brother, Joseph Conway of Newbury-  
port. The body was removed to her  
late home, 52 Beacon street, by Under-  
taker Charles H. Mulloy & Sons.

KENT—Mrs. Mary A. Kent, aged 60  
years, died this morning at the home  
of her daughter, 23 Manchester street.  
She leaves a husband, three daughters,  
and two sons in New York.

CANTIN—Joseph Elie Cantin, a well  
known and highly respected resident  
of this city, where he had been for  
many years engaged in the painting  
business, died early this morning at  
his late home, 15 B street, aged 61  
years and 2 days. The deceased was  
a member of Union St. Joseph and  
the Foresters of America. He leaves  
to mourn his loss, besides a bereaved  
wife, two daughters and one son, En-  
genio, Lumin and Eugene Cantin, all  
of this city; five sisters, Mesdames  
Jean Baptiste Bernier of Lowell, A.  
Vian of Haverhill, N. H., A. Boucher  
of St. Johnsbury, Vt., L. Sherbet of  
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Flora Moffitt will be held at 592 Wil-  
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o'clock. Friends are invited without  
further notice. Burial will take place  
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funeral arrangements are in charge  
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RICHARDS—Died in this city, Mar. 6,  
Leonard J. Richards, aged 56 years,  
4 months, 9 days. Funeral will be  
held from his residence, 284 High  
street, Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30  
o'clock. Friends invited. Burial pri-  
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KERSHAW—The funeral of Edwin  
S. Kershaw was held yesterday after-  
noon, from his residence, 2  
Simpson place and was largely at-  
tended. Rev. H. William Hook was the  
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Frank J. Spaulding, George A. Willey,  
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## EXTRA

## BIG AUTO SHOW

## Lowell People in Prominence at the Great Exhibit

The annual automobile show under the auspices of the Boston Automobile Dealers Association, which opened in the Mechanics building and Horticultural hall in Boston, Saturday night, will come to a close next Saturday night. It is not only the biggest event of the kind ever conducted by the Boston dealers, but is the stellar show of the season conducted in this country, or at least those who have been present at the various other shows say so.

The number of exhibits is much larger, the decorations are artistic and elaborate, the attendance has been extraordinarily large and all in all it is one of the finest exhibits conceivable.

Boston has gone automobile mad and although the majority of the people who have attended the exhibit thus far have been residents of Boston and vicinity, almost every city and town in Massachusetts and even the other states in New England have been represented.

Saturday night found a number of Lowell people in attendance, while yesterday there were scores of Lowell auto enthusiasts, chauffeurs, prospective purchasers and other Lowellites in attendance.

The decorations of the different halls are superb. Huge blankets of electrically illuminated flowers and foliage are suspended from the arches. Festoons of bright lights add to the illumination. Around the walls are great paintings of familiar scenes.

There are 400 exhibits at the show, 225 motor displays and 74 accessory displays. The number of displays by the means represents the number of cars shown. The value of the exhibits is estimated at \$2,500,000. The price of the cheapest car is \$150, while the cost of the most expensive is \$42,000. There are 34 different makes of pleasure cars and 27 different makes of commercial vehicles.

It would take column after column to go into the details and describe the excellence of the different exhibits. Of course some people are partial to a particular car, others are willing to be shown and others who do not own cars have favorites. Thus it would not be fair to pick out any special car other than to mention some of the extraordinary makes.

One of the principal attractions of the show is what is known as the Washington coach, of the Indianapolis type, which is owned by the Pierce Arrow company and costs \$50,000. The car has about everything going in the line of equipment and comfort for the passengers.

It is a monster affair finished in sage green, while on the panel of the rear doors are paintings of Mt. Vernon, Washington's home. In the rear of the car, which is upholstered in a rich mahogany, is a cabinet affair with a wash stand and faucet from which running water is sent through the pipes from a water tank under the car, the engine of the car furnishing pressure sufficient to force the water up. There is a complete dining room, kitchen, bar, and another apartment for boxes in which to keep food. There are also looking glass, compartments for ladies' toilet, and the interior is electrically lighted. In the rear of the car are three half sized trunks while on the top is a compartment for carrying clothes.

In the basement of the Mechanics building is another car known as the steel built burglar proof banking vault to be used for transporting money from place to place and in the rear it is so arranged that the steel doors when opened bring to view a caged window such as is used in banks.

Lowell Dealers in Evidence  
Practically every automobile dealer in Lowell is in evidence at the different booths. George R. Dana and his son, George R. Jr., are at the Stevens-Duryea booth, while William S. Grady and his son, William H., are entertaining people at the Regal exhibit.

Arthur J. Cummings and George A. Meigs are doing all they can in explaining the excellence of the Knox car. Mr. Cummings looking after the pleasure cars while Mr. Meigs is kept busy engaged in talking on the good qualities of the fire apparatus and commercial wagons.

One of the busiest men in the whole show is Thomas R. (the B stands for Buick) Hustwick, who with Milo Hale, is showing off the Buick cars to prospective customers.

Arthur C. Beharrell is at the Volvo booth and he has a fine line of cars to show and according to report has made several sales.

Donald Mackenzie and L. B. Bryant are at the Maxwell exhibits and John A. McKenna is in the gallery in the main hall showing the good points of the Heinze magneto. Mr. McKenna is assisted by Mr. Leon Laporte.

There was a big attendance of Lowell people at the show today and tomorrow—sunday—it is expected that there will be hundreds of Lowell people in attendance.

## FURNAL NOTICE

WALSH—The funeral of Mrs. Annie F. Walsh will take place Wednesday morning from her late home, 39 Carter street at 8.15 o'clock. High mass of Requiem at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Burial at St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Schofield officiating. The choir, under the direction of Miss Josephine McCabe sang the Gregorian mass. At the offertory Miss Gertrude Quigley sang "O Meritum Passionis" and as the body was being borne from the church, Miss Josephine McCabe sang the "Profundus". Among the many beautiful floral tributes were: Pillow inscribed "Sister," from Lena Smith; large standing cross from T. H. Martin Co.'s Dept., East Chelsea, Mass.; wreath from Mrs. Halls, Miss Kearns, Miss Elizabeth McElroy, Mrs. J. W. Ward and family; sprays, Mrs. Kane, Catherine and Anna Murphy, Mrs. Owen Schollan, Mrs. J. A. White, Miss Alice Aisle, Misses Flanagan, Miss Nellie Lacur and Miss Whelan. The bearers were John Dalay, George Stanley, Michael Schollan, John Garvey, Edward Duffy and Lewis McLaughlin. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery, P. H. Savage in charge.

## FUNERALS

SMITH—The funeral of Miss Anna L. Smith took place this morning from the home of her uncle, P. S. Ward, Highland avenue, North Chelmsford, at 8.30 o'clock. High mass of Requiem was sung at St. John's church at 9 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Schofield officiating. The choir, under the direction of Miss Josephine McCabe sang the Gregorian mass. At the offertory Miss Gertrude Quigley sang "O Meritum Passionis" and as the body was being borne from the church, Miss Josephine McCabe sang the "Profundus". Among the many beautiful floral tributes were: Pillow inscribed "Sister," from Lena Smith; large standing cross from T. H. Martin Co.'s Dept., East Chelsea, Mass.; wreath from Mrs. Halls, Miss Kearns, Miss Elizabeth McElroy, Mrs. J. W. Ward and family; sprays, Mrs. Kane, Catherine and Anna Murphy, Mrs. Owen Schollan, Mrs. J. A. White, Miss Alice Aisle, Misses Flanagan, Miss Nellie Lacur and Miss Whelan. The bearers were John Dalay, George Stanley, Michael Schollan, John Garvey, Edward Duffy and Lewis McLaughlin. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery, P. H. Savage in charge.

SHERIDAN—The funeral of Patrick Sheridan took place this morning from his late home, 229 Adams street, at 9 o'clock, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where a high mass of Requiem was sung at 9.45 o'clock by Rev. John J. McLaughlin. The choir sang the Gregorian mass. Miss Alice Murphy and Mr. Andrew McCarthy sustained the solos. Mr. Michael Johnson presided at the organ. Among the floral tributes were: Wreath, inscribed "Husband," from wife and spray from Mr. Michael Riley. The bearers were Harry and Michael Riley, James Rafferty and Patrick Flynn. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. John McLaughlin read the committal prayers at the grave. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

BONNEAU—The funeral of the late Frank Bonneau took place at four o'clock this afternoon from the funeral parlors of Undertaker Joseph Albert. The bearers were Albert Vezina, Romeo St. George, Joseph Perron, Elmer Vezina. Burial was in Edson cemetery. Undertaker Joseph Albert in charge.

HOLY HOUR SERVICE  
The service of the Holy Hour will be held in St. Michael's church tomorrow evening at 7.30.

## DR. JOSEPH ROY

Sues Dr. Lafontaine for \$5000 Damages

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 7.—Another phase of the famous controversy between Dr. Joseph E. Roy and the president of the Board of Socialists, Dr. Gustave Lafontaine, began yesterday when the former sued the president for alleged slander and set the damages at \$5000.

The slander consisted, it is alleged, in the statement that Dr. Lafontaine said that Dr. Roy was a "physician," "no good," and that he had been arrested in Lowell, Mass., and was tried, convicted, and did time.

Deputy Sheriff Thomas B. Donnelly arrested the health board president on Monday and served the papers charging slander. Two friends of Dr. Roy, Dr. Noel B. Gullett and Dr. Emile Turgeon went bail for him. The writ is returnable at the May term of the superior court.

## COACH SEXTON

HAS SIGNED WITH HARVARD FOR TWO YEARS

CAMBRIDGE, March 7.—It was announced today that Dr. Frank H. Sexton has been officially engaged for a season as coach of the Harvard baseball team. Under the new contract Dr. Sexton will coach the Crimson nine during the present year and will have charge of the development of the team next season. The new contract with Dr. Sexton places all of the major sports, Harvard's football, track team and crew already having instructors engaged for periods of more than a single year.

## LENTEN MISSIONS

LARGE CONGREGATIONS PRESENT AT LAST NIGHT'S SERVICES

The second night of the Lenten missions at the three French Catholic churches of the city, brought out, as large a crowd of women, if not larger, than on the previous night.

Rev. Fr. Gena at St. Jean Baptiste and Rev. Fr. Roumieu at St. Joseph's, preached on the "Last Judgment," while Rev. Fr. Courangeau, O. M. I., who is conducting the mission at Notre-Dame de Lourdes church, preached on "Sin."

The missionaries who are able speakers were listened to with great interest. The sermons were followed by benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at each church.

## HOUSE LEADERS

Also Hold Office of Mayor

AUGUSTA, Me., March 7.—Congratulations were showered on Speaker Frank A. Morey and Representative William Pettigill, the majority floor leader of the house, upon their successful conquests at the polls yesterday, when they returned today to resume their legislative duties. Speaker Morey was honored by the democrats with a fifth term as mayor of Lowell, while Representative Pettigill, who will be appointed attorney general when the legislature adjourns, was elected mayor of Waterville. It probably never before happened in the political history of Maine that the speaker of a political party and the leader of that party on the floor of the house were both candidates for the office of mayor of their respective cities while the legislature was in session. Although not successful, Rep. Edward Heffron, another democrat, was congratulated on the showing he made as a candidate for the mayoralty of Eastport.

## TRAINING GROUNDS

AT HOT SPRINGS MAY BE GIVEN UP

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 7.—Brooklyn and Cincinnati National league and St. Louis American league baseball teams threaten to give up their training camps in this city unless the city of Hot Springs will carry out its threat to prohibit Sunday practice and an exhibition game on that day. Prosecutor Wood cites an old law which has not been enforced in this section for ten years.

## FORGERY CHARGE

Ex-Sen. Linehan Placed Under Arrest

BOSTON, March 7.—Former State Senator Frank J. Linehan was arrested today on a charge of forgery, uttering and concealing stolen goods, in connection with an investigation of the sale of lumber claimed to have been from the city of Boston, but which, it is charged, was diverted in other directions.

John L. Sullivan, his clerk, was arrested last week.

## AD WOLGAST

TO MEET PACKEY MCFARLAND IN 10 ROUND GO

CHICAGO, March 7.—As a result of a conference yesterday, Ad Wolgast, lightweight champion, and Packey McFarland, the stockyard wonder, will meet in a ten round go before the Fairmount Athletic club the latter part of April. According to the agreement of managers yesterday, McFarland must weigh 135 pounds at 7 o'clock on the night of the fight. The date of the match and the division of the purse will be decided later.

Ad and Packey have been matched on three occasions but each time something has prevented the men from coming together.

## A BOY PLUNGER 20,000 TROOPS

Says He Made \$30,000 in Wall Street Speculation

NEW YORK, March 7.—W. J. Roman, a telephone boy in the office of James R. Keene, made \$30,000 in Wall street speculation, according to his testimony yesterday at a hearing in the bankruptcy proceedings of Lathrop, Haskins & Co., one of three stock exchange firms caught in the collapse of the Hocking pool.

Creditors of the firm are endeavoring to show that Mr. Keene was responsible for the failure of the pool and that young Roman, knowing that the collapse was imminent, turned his knowledge to good account.

Roman testified that when the crash came he had already sold 600 shares of Hocking at a figure which prevailed during the upward movement. He had heard of the trouble over night and wanted to "get out," he said.

Mr. Keene knew nothing of his transaction, he testified, and he kept the stock in his own safety vault in the Produce exchange.

After the collapse he bought back 200 shares of Hocking at 28, he said. He had a \$5000 account with a trust company and owned 412 shares in different railroad companies, he said, but balked at stating his salary. Finally he wrote the amount on a slip of paper and handed it to the referee.

## TEXAN WANTS WIFE

Wants Mayor Meehan to Pick One Out For Him

Here's chance, girls, to see "the man from Texas," and if you like him you can have him, but don't all speak at once. He lives in San Antonio, and he's looking for a woman to mend holes in his clothing. That's about all the excuse he has for jumping into the matrimonial arena. He has asked Mayor Meehan to pick him out a good woman and the mayor feels quite flattered, as the man is a stranger to him and the confidence of a stranger, especially when it comes to "picking" a wife, is to be appreciated.

The Texas man's letter to the mayor is as follows:

San Antonio, Texas, March 2, 1911.

The Honorable Mayor, My Dear Sir:

I send you a photo of myself and will tell you some of my troubles. I live in this state where they raise long horn steers, and women are scarce. Men are plentiful here in San Antonio and the women are all married. What are single are more or less consumptive.

I am single and am badly in need of a wife, as you can see by my photo. I am sewing a hole in my pocket. Pick me out a good woman and give her my name and photo.

Truly yours,

Bert Roberts,

San Antonio, Tex., General Delivery.

Accompanying this letter was a postcard photograph of a man about 45 years of age. He is smoking a cigar and engaged in mending a hole in a trousers pocket. At the bottom of the photograph is written: "One of my troubles when I have no wife. Hole in pocket."

For Baseball Park

At the meeting of the board of aldermen tonight, Alderman Joseph H. Jedin, Jr., was introduced an order requesting the park commission to ascertain what terms a portion of the Lowell fair grounds can be secured for the purpose of a baseball park.

## SUDDEN SUICIDE

Strange Tale Told by a Soldier at Fort Banks

BOSTON, March 7.—A strange tale of a sudden suicide following a remark which gave offense was related to the police early today by Thomas J. Holmes, a private in the coast artillery company stationed at Fort Banks, Winthrop. Holmes, who is said as a suspicious person pending a further investigation of his story, said that while he and Frances Bell, a young woman of Winthrop, were crossing the Northern avenue bridge from South Boston early today, the young woman became angered at something he said and jumped into the harbor. Holmes notified the police immediately after the occurrence and the police boat dragged the harbor in the vicinity of the bridge without success. Holmes told the police that he had known the young woman for some time but did not know where her home was in Winthrop.

## STRUCK ON HEAD

Ball Player Has Concussion of Brain

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 7.—Harry Welchance, the promising young outfielder, formerly with South Bend, who is here with the Philadelphia Nationals, was taken to the Birmingham hospital last night with a concussion of the brain, resulting from a blow hit on the head by a pitched ball in the practice game between the regulars and second team. Physicians who attended Welchance have assured President Fogel that there is no grave danger of his injury resulting seriously.

## AVIATOR RENAUX

WON THE SPECIAL MICHELIN PRIZE OF \$20,000

CLERMONT-FERRAND, France, March 7.—Aviator Renaux, flying from Saint Cloud today, landed on the summit of Puy-de-dôme at 2.20 o'clock, winning the special Michelin prize of \$20,000.

Time to Buy  
"Lucky Curve," 1150 fountain pen. Special Sale Price 99 Cents. Irish Poplin Fabric Finest Pound paper. Special Sale Price 100 per lb.

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## LOCAL NEWS

Messrs. Arthur Lanouette and Arthur Groux of this city have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Chasse of Manchester, N. H.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Pierre McGowan of Wamecet court.

A group of young women of St. Joseph's parish are rehearsing a dramatic play to be given after Easter. The proceeds of the soiree will be devoted to the parish work.

Inspector Frank Goodwin of the police department, who is now on pension roll, made his first appearance on the street this afternoon since December 30 of last year, he having been confined to his home since that time as a result of falling down three steps leading into his cellar and sustaining a sprained ankle. With the assistance of a Mr. Goodwin is able to walk and his many friends hope that he will soon have the full use of the limb.

AT MOODY SCHOOL  
The entertainment given at the Moody school this afternoon to raise funds to be expended in beautifying the school grounds was largely attended by pupils and their parents.

LOOK HERE  
We are selling you a box of the best Tooth Powder and giving a good Tooth Brush for 25 cents.

Goodwin's Drug Store 217 Central St.

Ordered by President Taft to Assemble in Texas

Formidable Fleet of War Vessels Will Also Go to the Mexican Shore Line—Military Forces Will be Under Command of General Carter

WASHINGTON, March 7.—In answer to charges that the United States army is not prepared for actual warfare and that it is lacking in every essential that goes to make up a defensive force, the general staff, by direction of the president, has ordered a magnificent feat of arms, the whole machinery controlling the army on a scale greater than ever before attempted in time of peace in this country.

Reproducing as nearly as possible war conditions involving hostilities in advance of a former declaration of war, the president gave the word last night and in a few moments messengers were flying all over the country ordering the assembling of 20,000 troops in the department of Texas. This practically is one-fourth of the entire army of the United States, including those troops in the Philippines and other insular possessions.

The navy is to play its part and a considerable fleet of armored cruisers, supplemented by auxiliaries necessary for the successful maintenance of a hostile naval force on the coast of an enemy, will take its place off the Mexican shore line. These cruisers comprise the present fifth division of the Atlantic fleet, now at Hampton Roads, and which are ready for sea. The division comprises the flagship Tennessee, the Montana, North Carolina and Washington, all powerful armored cruisers of 14,500 tons displacement under command of Rear Admiral Staunton.

The military force will establish its headquarters at San Antonio, under command of General Carter, assisted at the least

by several brigadier-generals, who will command the brigades into which the grand division will be divided. Those brigades will be placed at strategic points throughout the department of Texas, including not only the Mexican border towns, to which particular attention will be given, but also Galveston and the other seaports.

The orders so far issued contemplate the assignment to General Carter's command of 15 regiments of Infantry, one of cavalry and two or three of field artillery. In addition, two full regiments of coast artillery will be transformed into infantry, which will be a novel departure in military practice. It is the intention to have this entire force assembled in Texas within five days.

As a matter of fact, the great body of troops has already begun to move, two cavalry regiments having started last night from Forts Ouelthorpe and McPherson, Georgia, which is regarded as a fine accomplishment from the point of view of rapid movement.

Major General Wood, chief of staff, would himself have been placed in command of the troops which are to engage in the maneuvers, but for the fact that it is regarded by the general staff as necessary for the successful execution of the war plans that he retain his position in Washington. Here he can have a complete survey of the field and be ready to communicate instantly with every one of the army departments which go to maintain the army in the field. It cannot be foretold how long this large force will be kept in Texas but it is evident that it may be there for many weeks.

## FOGAZZARO DEAD

Noted Author Passed Away in Venice Today

VENICE, Italy, March 7.—Antonio Fogazzaro, the author, died today. He had been ill several days and recently underwent an operation for cancer of the liver. For a day or two since, the patient appeared to be improving, but yesterday he suffered a collapse so complete that the report was sent out that he had died.

This was followed by a slight change for the better and the novelist lingered through the night. An hour before death came Fogazzaro murmured to a nurse who was nursing him: "Bring me the last communion." From the next room where he had waited, a Francis, a monk entered and Fogazzaro's wife, daughters and other relatives and friends knelt, sobbing, at the bedside. The grief of the others noticeably affected the dying novelist, who, picking a hand on the head of his daughter, Maria, said: "Do not be afraid. I asked myself for the last sacrament." It was too late, however, for as he spoke the man who in his writings had so frequently given offense to the church lapsed into unconsciousness, and the only office left to the monk was that of administering extreme unction.

Again, just before the last, there was a flash of consciousness when Fogazzaro asked if the sun was rising and begged those about him to open wide the windows of the room, that he might see the light once more before he died. The lights were lowered and the window shades were raised but before the sun peaked in the author had lapsed into a state of coma and the end came by 5.20 o'clock.

Vicenza, where Fogazzaro was born on March 25, 1852, the Venetian province that knew him so well, and in which all Italy, are in mourning today. Expressions of grief and condolence have been received by the family from King Victor Emmanuel, Premier Luzzatti, the presidents of the senate and the chamber of deputies, and even from cardinals and bishops, despite the fact that the Italian's writings were considered unorthodox.

Fogazzaro's best known novel, *Il Santo*, which appeared five years ago, treated a religious matter in such a liberal manner that it was placed under the ban by the Holy See. He held the first place among Italian novelists, while his works included several volumes of poems. He was an accomplished musician.

## NEW DIRECTORS

In Charge of N. E. Investment Co.

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 7.—By virtue of the decrees entered, the business and assets of the New England Investment company were turned over to the new board of directors at a meeting held at the First National bank yesterday.

Among those at the meeting yesterday were George F. Bergeron of Pawtucket, R. I., ex-treasurer; Attorneys Everett L. Walling and C. C. Mumford of Providence, counsel for the company; Alderman Victor W. Roy of this city, president of the Manchester Coal and Ice company, one of

the holdings of the company; A. J. Prescott treasurer, Ex-Gov. James Higgins of Providence, and Burns P. Hodgman of Concord, receiver appointed by the courts. The new board is confident that by disposing of the unprofitable holdings of the company, and retaining those which have been proved to be paying investments, the company can be placed on a paying basis and made to yield returns to the stockholders for the money invested.

The assets of the American Pickling company were stated to be outside of cash in bank about \$385,327. Ex-Gov. James H. Higgins, the receiver for both companies, was allowed \$2000 for his fees in each case.

James A. Broderick of Manchester, representing three stockholders, opposed the plan of readjustment, holding that the liquidation and winding up of the affairs of the New England Investment company would be the best course to follow. Judge Brown of the court, who presided, stated that the objections were not of sufficient weight to overcome the wishes of the majority of stockholders.

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## NEW HIGH SCHOOL

## Discussed at Meeting of Committee on Education

## School Board Members and School Officials Attended the Conference—It Was Pointed Out That More Room is Needed for Accommodation of Pupils

The committee on education met yesterday afternoon for the purpose of considering a communication from the school board to the city council recommending the acquisition of land on the north side of the high school on which to build an addition to that school. The meeting was attended by school board members, Principal Irish of the high school, and Supt. Whitcomb. The cost of the land was estimated at from \$250,000 to \$320,000 and if the purchase were made it was the opinion of both boards that the city would have to appeal to the legislature to extend the debt limit of the city.

Mr. Irish said that the total registration of the high school during the present year was 1261. This is an increase of 48 over the previous school year. The annual increase varies from 40 to 50. Thirty-nine rooms are now occupied as class rooms by the present high school, 20 in the school proper and 19 in the annex. Thirty-five teachers are employed in the two buildings, exclusive of the principal and the teacher of education. This means one teacher for every 35 scholars.

It has been recognized by school authorities that there should be one teacher for every 30 pupils. This condition obtains in Buffalo, N. Y., Detroit, Mich., in many of the high schools of New York, in Cleveland, Cincinnati and Chicago, and in many of the cities of Europe. If but 30 pupils were allowed for each teacher here that would mean that five more teachers would be needed and there are not five more rooms in which classes can be taught.

"We came here," he said, "to ask you to favor a purchase of lots in Kirk and Ames streets, north of the present main building. Ideas may differ as to just how schools should be divided, should two high schools be erected. There might be the division which would have one technical high school and the other a classical high school. The technical high school would contain the courses devoted to a commercial education, as well as the manual training. The classical high school would be used to prepare pupils for professional schools, colleges, medical and law schools and normal schools.

If another high school is to be erected here it might be put in the High lands or any other place. If a second high school is erected the expense of the Manual Training school would have to be duplicated unless all the manual training were confined to one school. And the same would obtain in Greek, which is expensive.

"What proportion of pupils in the high school complete the course?" asked Mr. Barrett.

"I should say about 50 per cent.," said Mr. Irish.

"He thought the percentage was rather higher here than in some other cities."

"Why don't the other 50 per cent. finish the course?"

"One reason is the fact that many of the pupils have to go to work. Others lack interest, and still others fail to keep up in their studies."

Mr. Irish said that the present heating and ventilating arrangement in the high school would have to be torn out, and that the substitution of a system would mean a further expenditure of from \$12,000 to \$15,000. He said that if an attempt were made to connect the high school with the annex it would mean that much valuable light to each building would be cut off, also that rooms to the value of \$25,000 would have to be cut out.

"Do you think it advisable to retain manual training as part of the school work?" asked John Jacob Rogers.

"I cannot tell where that will land if we have an industrial school established here," said Mr. Irish.

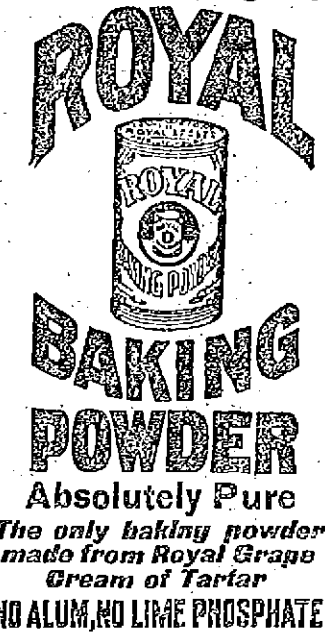
Mr. Whitcomb then spoke in support of Mr. Irish's contention for an addition. He said that work should begin as soon as possible, that it would be at least two years before any addition worthy the name could be ready for occupancy. He hoped nothing would be considered but a high school in the center of the city. He spoke of vocational work and argued for more of it in the high school.

"We are unanimously in favor of the plan which has been outlined," he said.

"We consider it the only feasible plan for an enlargement of the high school."

Messrs. Fyde and Farrington spoke briefly in support of the plan. Mr. Mahoney said he hadn't followed the mat-

Makes Home Baking Easy



High school, \$307. The average is \$417 per pupil. The present Lowell High school building cost \$173,348, and the annex \$51,000. The total cost of the two buildings being \$224,348, or \$205.30 per pupil here.

The new building would accommodate 300 pupils. Mr. Irish preferred to figure that the cost for erection of the new building should be by the average of such a cost in the cities previously named, and figuring at \$417 per pupil, the cost for the addition would be about \$350,000. However, he believed that that figure might be shaved considerably, probably to about \$250,000. The land will cost approximately \$50,000, he thought.

Mr. Barrett wanted to know which grew the faster, the high or the grammar schools. Mr. Whitcomb said that the high school did. Mr. Barrett wanted to know if the fact that a state industrial school might be located here would in any way affect the attendance at the high school. Mr. Irish thought it would not have the slightest effect so far as attendance would be concerned. He said that the industrial school would be mainly for those pupils who had been forced to leave the city schools as soon as they reached the age of 14.

The school board members and Messrs. Irish and Whitcomb were engaged at 5:40. The committee voted to adjourn to Thursday afternoon at 6 o'clock and to ask Mr. Irish to be present, for the purpose of obtaining more information.

## SUPREME COURT

## Gives a Decision Against Ruef

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—The latest legal effort to save Abraham Ruef from serving 14 years in the penitentiary for bribery resulted yesterday in a reversal for the former political leader. The supreme court, sitting en banc, refused to consider an application by the attorneys of Ruef for permission to submit to the court a petition for rehearing.

The stay of sentence granted Ruef by Judge Sawyer, the trial judge, expires today. Unless the federal court can be prevailed on to grant a writ of habeas corpus pending an appeal to the United States supreme court, Ruef will be taken to San Quentin today.

## SPEEDY TRIAL

## WEST INDIAN NEGRO SENTENCED TO DEATH

NEWARK, N. J., March 7.—"Jersey Justice" ruled in the case of Christopher Burin, a West Indian negro who was sentenced last night to die in the electric chair, during the week beginning April 17 for the murder of Mary James, a negro, on December 30 last. His trial was begun only yesterday morning.

## ELECTION OF U. S. SENATORS

COLUMBUS, O., March 7.—The Ohio house of representatives adopted a resolution yesterday afternoon, asking congress to call a constitutional convention to adopt an amendment providing for direct election of United States senators.

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## ATHERTON PLANT

## Merwin-Hughes Company Will Employ About 300 Hands

General activity has been resumed at the Atherton plant in Warrenville. The plant has been idle since the P. R. Warren Co. ceased doing business there several months ago. The plant is now occupied by the Merwin-Hughes company and the new company will engage in the same kind of work as the Warren Co., the making of boxes, both stiff and folding, and the printing of labels, show cards, etc. Manager Hughes says that 300 hands will be employed when the plant is running full blast. He expects to have the plant in full operation by the first of June.

The new company is composed of E. J. Merwin, Thomas J. Hughes and B. E. Cann.

Mr. Merwin will continue to reside in New York city, with offices at 55 Liberty street. He will act as sales manager. Thomas J. Hughes will be the local manager, and he will remove to this city with his family.

B. E. Cann, secretary and treasurer of the company, will also remove to Lowell with his family.

Richard Sullivan will be manager of the printing department. He will move into the house of Charles A. Eveleth in Wentworth avenue.

The new company expects to do a business of at least \$400,000 per year. They will occupy the entire plant at Atherton, except the foundry which is let. It is understood, to a Boston concern, that will begin operations there for a short time. The foundry will employ in the vicinity of 60 hands.

## MANY BILLS HELD UP

## Committee on Accounts Held a Long Session Last Night

There was a hold-up at city hall last night and "yeggs" are mentioned in connection with it. The committee on accounts, Alderman Barrett, chairman, held a meeting and did not adjourn until 12:30 this morning. The committee held up a little army of bills including the bill of the photographer who "mugged" the "yeggs" recently taken in tow by the police. Collins & Hogan's bill for \$200 for appraising land on the boulevard, was held up again and the hold up process was worked on a raft of telephone bills, all toll calls, affecting several departments, in which the name of the person called had not been given. Most of the bills were held up for what the committee considered to be overcharges. Following are the bills that were held up:

M. J. Mulvaney, \$143.71 for plumbing. The bill appeared excessive.

Dr. W. A. Johnson, \$34, and Dr. J. B. O'Connor, \$19, work for the board of health. These appeared excessive.

William Hamel, \$25, for taking pictures of the "yeggs" recently hauled into the police net by the local department. The bill appeared excessive.

Will J. Sande, \$200, for expert consultation in regard to the building of the new pump. The bill appeared excessive.

Collins & Hogan, \$200, for appraising land on the boulevard in regard to seizure processes for the sinking of wells. This also appeared excessive to the committee.

Lowell Auto Co., \$104.10, for work on the water department automobile. Held up for the same reason.

M. D. Laforet, \$25.22, for turpentine. The committee thought that was too costly turpentine by a good deal.

Lowell Electric Light corporation, \$71.37. The whole presentation of the bill was not clear, though believed to be correct.

Arthur G. Beharrel, \$105.75, for repairing street department automobile; the usual reason.

Bunker and Tradesman, \$5, for subscription. The committee wanted to know what the water department meant by charging a magazine subscription to the city.

City of Lawrence, \$40, for instruction of a boy said to live in Lowell. The committee thinks the boy does not live here, and scratched the bill from the list entirely.

G. U. Eyrnes & Co., \$7.50, for stationery; too much.

Arthur A. Clark, \$73.30, against sewer department. An item concerning sewer dippers seemed excessive.

Lowell Gas Light Co., two bills, one for \$2 and one for 50 cents, for light in a sewer department work house.

W. H. and H. M. Wilson, \$35, for damages on personal property from a dynamite blast. Inquiry necessary.

Moody Bridge Auto Co., \$36.50, for sundries and supplies for the fire department. More inquiry.

J. B. Cover, \$3, which seemed a little too much for salt.

The following bills, sent in by neighboring cities and towns, are for outside aid on Lowell cases, and will require further inquiry. They are:

Worcester \$40; Fall River, \$8.10; town of Dudley, \$52; Brockton, \$74.23; Fall River, \$19.50; Haverhill, four bills, \$11.10, \$5.15, \$7.40 and \$8.80; Lawrence, \$1.65; Salem, two bills \$48 and \$44.55.

## PREMIER WHITNEY BRITISH CABINET

## Is Opposed to Reciprocity Agreement

TORONTO, Ont., March 7.—Sir Jas. Whitney, premier of Ontario, yesterday gave notice that he would move an anti-reciprocity resolution in the Ontario legislature on Wednesday or Thursday. The resolution recites that the interests of the Province of Ontario, in the opinion of the house, would be injuriously affected should the reciprocity agreement come into force and that the house, therefore, deprecates the making of said agreement and records its strong dissent therefrom.

Reasons for this belief are given at length, among them Canada's prosperity, the result of the policy which has been pursued in the development of trade and resources and, it is stated, no arrangement with a foreign state should be considered which might even jeopardize the continuance of Canada's present satisfactory condition. It is also pointed out, as the belief of the house, that the agreement "would result in commercial union with the United States, would weaken Canada's position and influence as a unit in the British empire; would frustrate her hopes of nationhood within the empire and would lead to political union with the United States."

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## Report That Changes Will be Made

LONDON, March 7.—Lobby reports regarding cabinet changes arising from the illness of the Earl of Crewe, secretary for India, include the promotion of War Secretary Haldane to the peerage and possibly Reginald McKenna.

## Women Who Suffer

Relief for women who suffer from the many forms of distress, pain and irregularities due to the diseased conditions of leucorrhea, or whites, can be found in the following home-made preparation, which is used as a sanative wash or douche with syringe:

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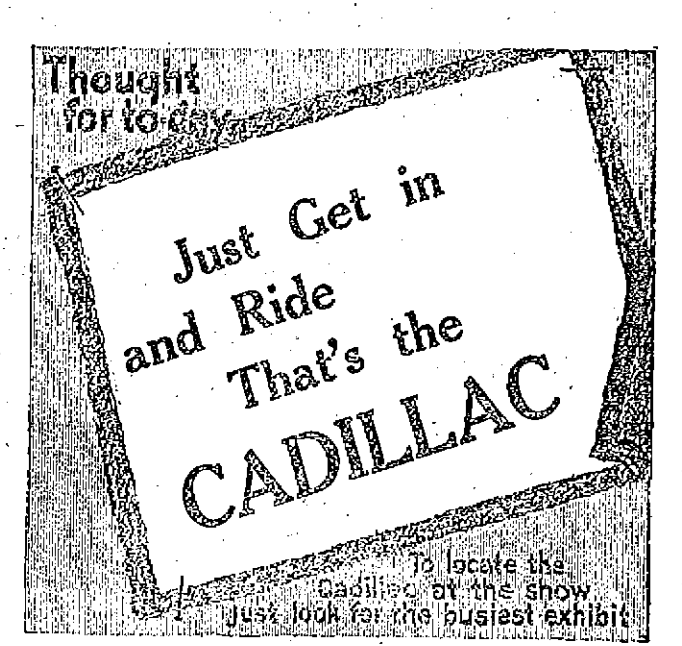
A sanative wash of a harmless character like this should be used by every woman who values her health and happiness.

## Mr. T. O. Trumbo Says:

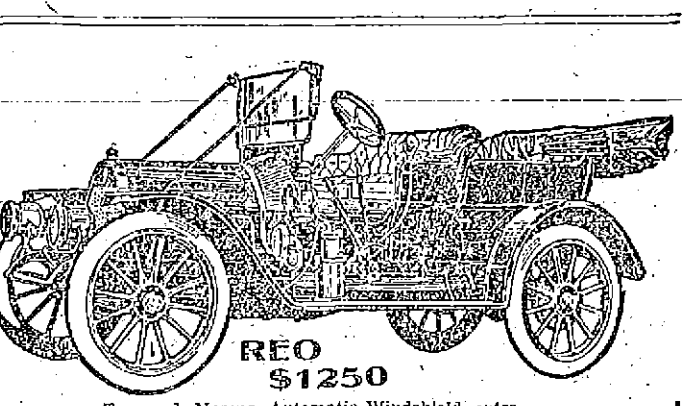
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nia, first lord of the admiralty in order to strengthen the representation of the government in the house of lords. Should such changes be made, Lieut. Col. John B. Seely, under-secretary for the colonies, the reports have it, would become secretary of war.

The Earl of Crewe, who is suffering from concussion of the brain, following a collapse after a falling ill, is said to be progressing favorably.

## LAID AT REST

## Funeral of Edward P. McLaughlin Today

The funeral of the late Edward P. McLaughlin, treasurer of the Lowell Electrotyping foundry and a well-known and highly esteemed citizen, took place this morning from his home, 654 Bridge street and was largely attended, many friends from Boston, East Boston and Winthrop being in attendance. The cortege left the house at 3.15 o'clock and proceeded to St. Michael's church where at 9 o'clock high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Dennis J. Murphy. The choir under the direction of Thomas P. Boulger rendered the Gregorian mass and at the offertory "Domine Jesu Christe" was sung. At the conclusion of the service "In Paradisum" was sung. The casket was borne by Messrs. John H. Griffin, Patrick J. Connean, Peter McGauvran, Joseph Mulcahey, John Downey and John Gorman. In attendance at the funeral was a delegation from Lowell council, Knights of Columbus, including Grand Knight Henry J. Hays, John Fahy, Roger Lang, William McAlone, Richard Mower, Terence Cox, Michael O'Brien and William McGauvran. There was also present a delegation from the Knights of Equity. At the conclusion of the service the funeral cortege proceeded to the depot where the remains were placed on the 10.43 train for Boston. The interment which was in charge of Undertaker James W. McKenna of this city taking place in Holy Cross cemetery, Malden, Mass. Among the many beautiful floral tributes placed upon the grave were the following:

Pillow, inscribed "Husband," from the wife; wreath, inscribed "Papa," from three children of the deceased; broken wreath on base, inscribed "At Rest, Brother Eddie," Mr. and Mrs. P. Keough and family of East Boston; mound of roses and violets, inscribed "Gone," Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Cotter, of Winthrop, Mass.; cross and crown on base, Messrs. John H. Griffin and P. J. Connean; business partners of the deceased; spray of roses, Miss Esther Handley; wreath on base, Mrs. P. C. McGauvran and family; basket of roses, Mary and Hattie McAvoy; spray of carnations, Agnes and Josie Handley; wreath of roses and galax leaves, inscribed "Friend," Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Adams; cross of roses on base, Mr. and Mrs. Martin H. Reidy; spray of Jack roses and ferns, James Hearn; spray of roses and galax leaves, employees of the J. C. Ayer company; spray of tulips and Mrs. Charles Peard; spray of pink carnations, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Drowett; spray of pink carnations, Mr. Patrick Quinn;

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# COAL LANDS FRAUDS

## Several Persons Charged With Conspiracy

DETROIT, Mich., March 7.—Government investigation into alleged Alaskan coal lands frauds involving approximately 48,000 acres of land valued at more than \$50,000,000, resulted in the issuance last night of an indictment by the local federal grand jury, charging seven individuals with conspiracy against the United States. The defendants are: Wilbur W. McAlpine, Albert H. Boehm, George W. Ross, Frank D. Andrews, Arthur L. Holmes and McCurdy C. Lebeau, all of Detroit, and John M. Bushnell, of Chicago. The foregoing are officials of a company known as the Michigan Alaska Development company.

The contention of the government is that the defendants conspired to induce between 200 and 300 individuals to become stockholders in the company by making "fraudulent and fictitious" locations of certain Alaskan coal lands, thereby violating the land entry laws of 1910, which made it illegal for more than four persons to form a company for locating Alaska coal lands and taking patents on more than 640 acres. It is alleged that the several stockholders were led to believe that they were locating the lands for their exclusive use, "but in truth and in fact, for the use and benefit of the seven defendants and the Michigan Alaska Development company." The Michigan Alaska Development company was organized under the laws of Arizona. W. W. McAlpine is the president. The coal lands involved are situated mainly at Juneau, Alaska.

It is declared by the defendants that strictly individual entry of the lands has been made and that the Michigan Alaska company was organized as a holding association for the purpose of aiding the stockholders or claimants, to better protect their title and develop their lands. They deny stock was to be sold and they insist that the

corporation was not formed for the exploitation of the coal lands in the general market.

U. S. District Attorney Frank Watson of Detroit announced last night that he will prepare for an early trial of the defendants. The penalty for conviction on a charge of conspiracy against the government of this nature is two years' imprisonment or a fine of not more than \$10,000.

## CATHOLIC CLERGY

### To Make Gift to the Pope

At the meeting of the archbishops of the United States Cardinal Gibbons will bring to their attention the plan which has already met with wide approval in Roman Catholic ecclesiastical circles of a yearly contribution to the pope by the clergy of this country. This proposed gift is not in any way connected with the Peter's Pence collection taken up yearly in the churches, which concerns the tally alone.

This year has been chosen as most appropriate for inaugurating this custom because the ordinary sources of revenue for the Vatican will be curtailed to a considerable extent because Pope Pius X. has declared that there shall be no consistory, no pilgrimages and no solemn receptions in Rome this year as a protest against the civil celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the first Italian parliament and beginning of the end for the papal states. Gifts made by pilgrims to the pope form a considerable part of the revenues required to carry on the administration of Vatican affairs, and it is argued by the promoters of the contribution that a special gift this year will be most timely.

The proposed gift is to come wholly from the clergy and is to be a voluntary contribution and not an imposed tax. Christmas has been discussed as a suitable time, and members of the local clergy believe that the plan can best be conducted along diocesan lines and the offering sent to a central bureau for transmission to the Holy See. Cardinal Gibbons has approved the plan and several of the dignitaries of the Catholic church have already expressed their commendation. In a letter to the Ecclesiastical Review Archbishop O'Connell of Boston says: "I hasten to assure you that I am most heartily in favor of the movement. In fact this idea has been in my mind ever since my return to America as bishop of Portland. I have always felt that something of the kind should be done and could be done. The great thing now is that the movement should be started right. I am not only in favor of it; I am enthusiastic over it."

Bishop Benjamin J. Kelly of Savannah, writing to the same publication, says: "It seems to me that if the bishops of each diocese would ask their priests to help the Holy Father they would be assured of a prompt and generous response. Personally I favor the idea of a New Year's offering, though the day and time is immaterial."

## GOVERNOR DIX

### WANTS ANOTHER CONFERENCE ON THE SENATORSHIPS

ALBANY, N. Y., March 7.—Gov. Dix expressed the hope last night that before the end of the present week a plan will have been formulated for another conference to discuss the senatorial situation preliminary to a caucus to select a candidate in place of William F. Sheehan. The governor, all along have expressed a willingness to enter another conference but when it comes to a suggested caucus they balk. There were no indications last night, however, of either a conference or caucus. The governor, himself said that no proposition from either side had come to him.

Some of the organization members admitted, however, that despite the assertions of Mr. Murphy that the rogues would continue to stand by Mr. Sheehan, there is a quiet movement under way to ascertain who, if Mr. Sheehan withdraws, would be the most available candidate. The governor reiterated that under no circumstances would he consent to become a compromise candidate even if both sides should agree upon him as a way out of the difficulty.



IVY AND IVY  
The Musical Entertainers at the Merrimack Square Theatre This Week.

## MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

From the time that Prof. Warburton gives the ivories the opening tickle until the curtain falls on the last flickerless moving picture there is not a dull moment at the Merrimack Square theatre, this week, for the bill is exceptionally good including the orchestra's contribution to the general entertainment. Every act was not only good but out of the ordinary run of vaudeville offerings. The headliner is Lora, the mental wonder, termed on the program "the human parrot." She

could read figures blindfolded and could guess any old thing down to the amount of "paper" in the house. Ivy and Ivy are a couple of rare plants and their musical skit entitled "Woman, Woman, Woman," kept the audience in a state of smiles. Shorty Edwards is about as big as a half pint but he has a barrelful of fun concealed about his diminutive person. Miss May Duryea presents a most amusing sketch entitled "The Imposter." The pictures are of the "first run" order and constitute a whole show in themselves. Don't miss the Merrimack Square this week.

## THE OPERA HOUSE

Forrest Stanley and his company of players presented "The Call of the North" before an audience that crowded the Opera House last night. The cast is as follows:

Ned Trent, Forrest Stanley  
Galen Abbot, J. H. Huntley  
Hodman Rand, Charles J. Haines  
John McDougall, Frank M. Christie  
Sandy McTavish, Frank McTavish  
Achille Picard, Benedict MacQuarrie  
Dr. Coburn, Russell Clark  
Rev. Archibald Crane, Albert Hanna  
McEn-Gan, F. M. Wright  
Julie Bagnard, Frances Whitehouse  
Mrs. Abbot, Mary Sanders  
Mrs. Brockton, Geraldine Russell

The play was seen here several seasons ago with Robert Edeson in the



SCENE FROM "CALL OF THE NORTH" AT OPERA HOUSE

leading role. It was elaborately staged and the company was especially strong. Notwithstanding this, those who saw last night's performance admit that the play loses nothing by

comparison with the work of the Edson players. Mr. Stanley was right at home in the character of "Trent" and the life that he gave to his acting made it all the more attractive. The part is in a way rather deceiving, yet so well interpreted is it by Mr. Stanley that one becomes all absorbed with interest in the lines and the different situations. Miss Sanders, displayed great talent as "Virginia Abbot," and the change from the class of character that she has assumed in previous productions, was a most pleasant surprise to her many friends, for her success only went to show the versatility of the young actress and her cleverness in adapting herself to different parts.

Benedict MacQuarrie scored a great success in the role of "Achille Picard," the half-breed. The part of "Julie Bagnard," the half-breed girl, was most effectively portrayed by Miss Whitehouse. The Scotchmen were well looked after by Messrs. Christie and Bertrand. Mr. Haines was very strong as "Hodman Rand," and the minor characters were adequately assumed.

The story of the play is interesting. "Ned Trent," much of a free lance, wanders into the district and begins trapping "Galen Abbot," the "factor" for the Hudson Bay Company—which lured over the millions of acres—heard of "Trent's" offence, and he was discovered at his practices and sent away. Later he is found in the region of his pet, taken from him and he is tried for another offence and this time he is discovered and, because he has saved the lives of men of the company, is about to be given a third chance. His colloquy with "Abbot" wins for him "a long traverse," a method of punishment not uncommon with white infractors of the company's rules. It is said, this consisted of being turned loose into a trackless wild, with one day's rations and without a rifle. All of which is told in the first act, by "Trent" himself.

He strives to get a rifle and finally persuades the daughter of "Abbot" to give him her's. The romantic girl looks upon "Trent" as a hero, and he is willing that she shall, so long as he receives the rifle. He is followed by Indians and by "Redman Rand," in the hand to hand fight which ensues "Rand" is shot. Later "Trent" is brought back to the post, where a moment of trial is gone through with. In this the play takes a sudden twist. "Abbot" is shown as a murderer and "Trent's" course is settled clearly and satisfactorily.

The play will be given every afternoon and evening this week.

## "THE PRINCE OF PILSEN"

"The Prince of Pilsen," which is perhaps the most popular and successful musical comedy of American authorship, will be given by the company which has played the piece, being chosen for the superior character of their work. The company under consideration is the only one now playing this popular work in this country. Jess Dandy, who has played the role of Hans Wagner, the brewer from "Zinnatator," more than a third time, will be seen again in that humorous impersonation. Edw. Hora, as the real Prince of Pilsen, gives the best performance this part has ever had and Ivor Anderson, a clever young actor and the possessor of a richly trained voice, will be the young hero, Lieutenant. Walter D. Catlett has the role of Lord Shrimpton and Robert O'Connor will be the Francois of the Hotel International in Nice where the scene is laid. Frances Cameron, a talented actress and singer of large experience in musical comedy, and who for three seasons sang Sonia in "The Merry Widow," will play the part of the vivacious widow, and is credited with giving one of the best performances this character has ever had. Lillian Lawson, a clever comedienne, has the role of Elsie, and Paula Dorothy Deimars will play Jimmie, the bell boy. Vera Stanley makes a dainty figure as Nellie Wagner, the brewer's daughter.

In the organization are many who have taken part in its presentation since the night of its first production; there have been taken from the company companies that have played the piece, being chosen for the superior character of their work. The company under consideration is the only one now playing this popular work in this country.

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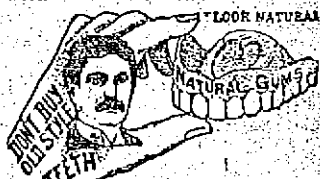
## GIFFORD PINCHOT

### DECLARES FOR INDEPENDENCE OF PARTY

AKRON, O., March 7.—Over 500 republicans, mostly progressives, in attendance at the Lincoln banquet here last night heard Gifford Pinchot, seconded by James R. Garfield of Cleveland and A. L. Garfield of Elroy, O., declare in their speeches for independence of party rather than regularity to become free to corporate control of the nation's resources and of the public land party. O. C. Barber of Akron, O., also spoke. Cleveland had a delegation of 50 progressive republicans present and there were delegations from other northern cities and towns.

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MISS MABEL ESTELLE

Who Made Her Appearance With the Donald Meek Co. at the Hathaway Theatre.

## HATHAWAY THEATRE

The Hathaway was packed to its doors last night when the first presentation of the famous drama, "St. Elmo," was given by the Donald Meek Co. Another attraction was the first appearance of Miss Mabel Estelle, the well known comedienne.

Nearly everyone is familiar with the plot of the story of "St. Elmo" from which the play is taken. It tells of a poor girl, Edna Earle, living among the poor whites of the Tennessee mountains, where St. Elmo is spending his summer, and of the latter's difficulties in a love affair in which he is the lover and Edna Earle is the rival.

Having been deceived by the girl to whom he was engaged, St. Elmo loses faith in all mankind and, being rich, he leaves his home and roams the world over for many years.

In the meantime, Edna Earle, the poor girl from the mountains, who, by the way, had secretly witnessed the duel, had been injured in a train wreck and was found by St. Elmo's mother, who took her under her care. St. Elmo returns at different periods and finds Edna in his home. By keeping a certain trust with him, Edna gains

the confidence of St. Elmo, and finally wins him from his trustless, scolding habits of life, and the story ends by St. Elmo's becoming a preacher, and marrying Edna.

Sevelin De Deyn as St. Elmo played in the best of style and as usual scored a great success. Perhaps he has never been seen in any play to better advantage than in the latter. His acting was superb.

Miss Estelle, although taking a different part than usual, that of "Edna Earle," which is very difficult to render, especially for Miss Estelle, who generally plays comedy, carried it off with splendid success. She was greeted with great applause when she appeared on the stage, and her acting throughout was even better than before.

The little humor that could be injected into the play was furnished by Mr. Meek, who assumed the role of Henry, a colored servant. Ada Allen deserves much credit for her excellent portrayal of the character of "Mrs. Murray," St. Elmo's mother. William Thompson as "Rev. Allan Hammond," also did very well. In fact the Meek company did the play full justice and the whole cast is to be commended for the excellent performance.

advance in motion picture photography and the subject is one worthy of the magnificent staging, perfect acting and fine photography shown in the film.

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## ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The bill at the Academy for the first three days is one of the best that has been given in this house this season. Dunn Brothers are a pair of lively comedians who sing and dance themselves into favor and have a flash that had rarely been seen. The best triple horizontal performers that have been here for a long time, are McPhoe and Hill. They perform many original tricks and their act is made agreeable by lively comedy. John B. Cooke & Co. appear in the dramatic offering, "Blinker's Last Trick." This act has a cast of four persons, and is worked up to a dramatic close that is very thrilling. It tells of a diamond robbery and the attempt at catching the culprit and the unmasking of a police grafter. It is well worth seeing. The pictures are all good, the feature one being "The Heart of a Savage."

Today the Theatre Voyons is showing a three-reel production of Dickens' "Tale of Two Cities," a well-known story and one that has been played successfully under the names of "Sydney Carton" and "The Only Way." The continuation of a story for three reels lasting a full hour is a notable

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## NIGHT EDITION

## AFTER LOAN COS.

Chapin Says Some Small Concerns Exact 228 Per Cent.

BOSTON, March 7.—In executive session yesterday afternoon the legislative committee on banks and banking voted to ask the legislature for authority to make a thorough investigation of the small loan companies of the state, the manner in which they do business and the rates of interest and the fees they charge borrowers. The committee took this vote after hearing Bank Commissioner Chapin, who recommended such a legislative inquiry.

Reports of loan companies now under state supervision show that in some cases an annual return of more than 228 per cent was exacted, declared Commissioner Chapin.

He said that a thorough investigation by a legislative committee should be made of the money lenders and their methods of making small loans in Massachusetts. He asked that all small loan dealers be placed under state supervision, and asserted that the practices of some call for summary action by the general court. He especially arraigned the fee system and explained that even in the case of the special chattel loan company, now under state supervision, the department has not the right to regulate fees, these having been fixed in the statute of 1908.

Caroline I. Cook of the Women's educational and industrial union favored a combined fiscal and police control, declaring that there are many abuses which bear heavily upon poor borrowers.

## TOWN ELECTIONS

The License Question Seemed to be the Principal Issue

BOSTON, March 7.—The little hill towns in the western part of the state today added the results of their annual meetings to those of the plains, and the general sentiment on the liquor question in Massachusetts this year seems, in the smaller communities at least, to favor no license. A score or more of the 321 towns have still to vote on the question but returns from those which voted yesterday together with those which decided the question a month ago show that while three towns changed from dry to wet, ten went from wet to dry. In several cases the margins were small and recounts may change the first result.

There were very few changes west of the Connecticut river but in this part of the state there was considerable variance from last year.

With the meetings of the next few weeks the entire number of communities in Massachusetts will have gone on record regarding the selling of intoxicating liquor after May 1. Last year 17 cities and 77 towns voted for license and 16 cities and 24 towns against liquor selling. The total vote for license throughout the state was 217,395, while the adverse vote was 208,430.

The same number of cities will sell liquor after May 1 this year.

The towns which changed this year from dry to wet were Barnardston, Hudson and Winchendon, while those going in the opposite direction were Amherst, Barre, Colerain, Grafton, Hopkinton, Hubbardston, Middlefield, Middleton, Orange and Topsfield.

## FAVORABLE REPORT

Expected on Street Bill for City of Lowell

A delegation from Lowell went to the state house in Boston today to appear before the committee on cities of the legislature, which gave a hearing on the senate bill 101, accompanying the petition of Mayor Meehan and others which reads as follows:

An act relative to the preparation and opening for public travel of ways in the city of Lowell.

Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives in general court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

After the passage of this act no person or corporation shall prepare or open for public travel in the city of Lowell any way, unless its location, direction, width and grades are satisfactory to and have been approved in writing by a board consisting of the mayor, the city civil engineer and the superintendent of streets of said city.

The local delegation was composed of the following: Mayor Meehan, City Solicitor William W. Duncan, Secretary John H. Murphy of the board of trade, Robert Marden, Dr. Hugh Walker.

They all spoke in favor of the petition as did Senator Hibbard and all the Lowell representatives.

It is expected that the committee will report to make it a general law.

## TO KILL TAFT

Detective Burns Says That Steele Revealed the Plot

SPOKANE, Wash., March 7.—Captured just when alleged plans for assassinating Mayor N. S. Pratt were almost ready, John Steele and Stuart Moffett, now in the city jail, are held by the police as suspects in the murder of Capt. John T. Sullivan and as alleged accomplices in a plot to kill President Taft.

This is the gist of a statement of Martin J. Burns, captain of detectives, issued yesterday after a conference with Chief of Police Donohue.

The arrest of the two men was made Friday night. "Friday night," said Capt. Burns, "our men heard Steele report to Moffett after a visit to the Pratt home. Steele said that the house was guarded day and night. "He told the group around him another night that he was 'high enough' in anarchic circles to know that President Taft would be killed as soon as he left Washington after congress closed."

## TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal. Copper	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Am. Col. Oil	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Am. Locomo	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Am. Smelt & R.	75	74 3/4	74 3/4
Am. Smelt & R. pf.	105 1/4	105 1/4	105 1/4
Atchafalpa	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
Atch. pf.	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Balt. & Ohio	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Br. Rap. Trans.	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Can. Pac.	21 1/4	21 1/4	21 1/4
Cent. Leather	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Cent. Leather pf.	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Ches. & Ohio	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Chl. & Gt. W.	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Col. Fuel	33	33	33
Consol. Gas	141 1/4	141 1/4	141 1/4
Den. & Rio G.	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Dis. Secur. Co.	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Erie	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Erie 1st pf.	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Erie 2d pf.	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Gt. North. pf.	124 1/4	124 1/4	124 1/4
Gt. N. Ore. pf.	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Ill. Mo. Cen.	134	134	134
Int. Met. Com.	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Int. Met. pf.	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Int. Paper pf.	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
In. S. Pump	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
In. S. Pump pf.	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Iowa Central	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Iowa Cen. pf.	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Kan. City So.	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Kan. & Texas	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Louis. & Nash.	145	145	145
Mexican Cen.	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Missouri Pac.	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
No. Am. Cen.	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Nor. & West.	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
North. Pac.	121 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2
Ont. & West.	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Pennsylvania	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
People's Gas	105	105	105
Reading	155 1/2	155 1/2	155 1/2
Rep. Iron & S.	33	33	33
Rep. I. & S. pf.	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Rock Is.	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
St. L. & S. N. pf.	66	66	66
St. Paul	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
So. Pac.	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2
Southern Ry.	28	28	28
Southern Ry. pf.	64	64	64
Texas Pac.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Union Pac.	172 1/2	172 1/2	172 1/2
U. S. Steel	42	40 1/4	41 1/4
U. S. Steel pf.	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
U. S. Steel 3d pf.	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
U. S. Steel 4th pf.	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Utah Copper	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Wabash R. R.	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Wab. R. R. pf.	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Westinghouse	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2

Exchanges and Balances  
BOSTON, March 7.—Exchanges \$27,512,031; balances \$2,858,698.

Cotton Futures	
Opening	Close
March	14.33
April	14.15
May	14.19
June	14.11
July	14.10
August	14.02
September	13.99
October	13.96
November	13.93
December	13.90
January	13.87

**The Money Market**  
NEW YORK, March 7.—Prime mercantile paper 4 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange firm at 184.10@184.15 for 60 day bills and at 185.40 for demand. Commercial bills 184.10@184.15. Bar silver 52 1/2. Mexican dollars 51. Government bonds irregular. Railroad bonds firm.  
Money on call steady 2 1/2 per cent. Time loans easy; demand light; 60 days 2 1/2 per cent. and 90 days offered at 3, six months offered at 3 1/2@3 3/4.

## Cleveland the Thirteenth President to Have a Monument.

ALTHOUGH Grover Cleveland is the thirteenth president of the United States to be honored with a public monument, he is to have two of size and beauty to compensate for the possibly unlucky significance of the number. His twelve predecessors whose fame is commemorated in marble, granite and bronze in various parts of the United States are Washington, Lincoln, Grant, McKinley, John Adams, Garfield, Hayes, the two Harrisons, Jefferson, Jackson and Arthur. Some of them have more than one monument apiece. Washington and Lincoln have many.

Two monuments to the memory of the twenty-second president of the United States are in contemplation. One of them is to be erected in Princeton, N. J., the other in Chicago. The movement to erect a memorial to Mr. Cleveland in Princeton, a town closely identified with his later life and the site of a university in which he took great interest, was launched recently and rode well on the waters of public interest. One hundred thousand dollars was the sum asked by the projectors of the monument, among whom were included some of Mr. Cleveland's closest friends. They experienced little difficulty in raising money, and their plans will be embodied in a beautiful memorial tower estimated to cost the sum named. It is to be erected among the Princeton buildings and will be a conspicuous object on the university grounds. It will be a landmark, in fact. "No other memorial to any president of the United States, save only the Washington monument, will equal this tower in dignity and beauty," recently said Dean Andrew S. West of the Princeton graduate college.

The tower is to be about forty feet square and will rise over 100 feet. The type of architecture is pure perpendicular Gothic, and the material will be gray stone. Starting from a base of plain severity the tower will become lighter and more open in character and ornamentation as it ascends. The Cleveland memorial tower will be a worthy addition to the Princeton group of buildings planned by Princeton university for its graduate college. They will stand on that portion of the university grounds known as the golf links, a spacious and commanding site with an extensive view. Mr. Cleveland was buried in Princeton, but the erection of a costly monument at his grave was not possible, owing to the provision of his will which requested the erection of a modest monument over his remains at the expense of the estate.

Now Jersey Democrats and Republicans as well as men of other states

of the two political faiths have joined in the movement to honor the memory of the only Democratic president since the days before the civil war. Although Grover Cleveland was born in New Jersey (at Caldwell, Essex county, March 15, 1837), the greater part of his life, except for the eight years in Washington, was passed in New York state. Upon his retirement from

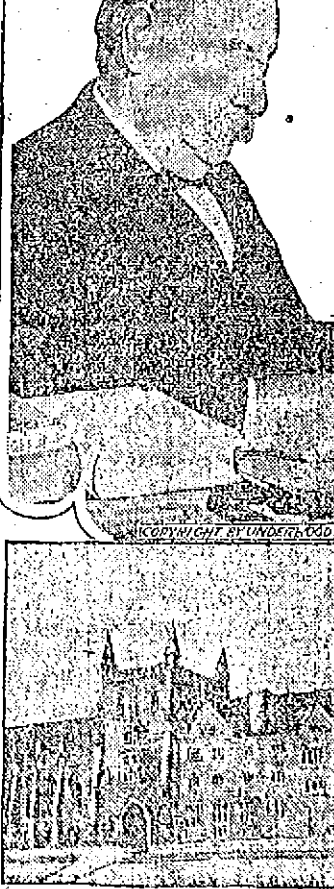
the presidency for the second time, in 1897, he established his home in Princeton, and it was there that he died, June 24, 1908. Shortly after he became a resident of Princeton Mr. Cleveland was chosen a trustee of the university.

While the Princeton memorial is to be only a symbol of the regard felt for the late president by his friends, the

great railroad strike deserves remembrance. They hold that Mr. Cleveland's fame suffered during his life because of his action and that in some degree it detracts from his memory still. But they desire to honor Mr. Cleveland, and they have chosen this manner of carrying out their desire.

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## STOCK MARKET

WAS STEADY AT THE CLOSE TO DAY

Reaction in Missouri Pacific Caused Slight Recession. St. Paul Felt the Heaviness of the Dealings. Other Features of Today's Trading

NEW YORK, March 7.—Some substantial advances were made at the opening of the stock market today and the underlies were strong. Reading and Mo. Pac. advanced a point, U. S. Steel, Can. Pac., Lehigh Valley, and Norfolk & Western 1/2, and U. S. Steel, N. Y. Central and U. S. Rubber 1/2.

Ann. Agl. Chem. was off 1/2.

The advance was carried further and the market became more active. Gains were extended to include all of the better known stocks. A number of the low priced specialties advanced.

Special strength being shown by United States Rubber and Ann. Woolen. The Virginia debt certificates, which made a sensational advance yesterday, were liquidated freely today and gave way 1/2 to 3/4.

Steadily rising prices during the morning in the absence of favorable developments indicated that the market derived its strength largely from covering of short contracts. The Gould stocks were notably strong. Norfolk & Western became very strong on the ground that there might be an early dividend. Bonds were firm.

Speculation was dull and featureless during the noon hour.

The reports that troops would be sent into Mexico to protect American interests served as a more interesting food for gossip among the regulars than financial movements and the market lapsed into semistagnation.

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The market closed steady. A sudden reaction of 1/2 in Mo. Pacific caused some slight recession in the general market. St. Paul felt the heaviness, but the rest of the list retained a portion of the day's advance.

**Spot Cotton**  
Cotton spot closed quiet, 10 points higher.

Middling, Uplands, 14.50; Middling Gulf, 14.55. Sales, 1380 bales.

**DICK HARLEY**  
HAVERHILL, March 7.—Dick Harley, former National league, was yesterday engaged to manage the Haverhill New England league team next season. After Billy Hamilton signed with the Boston Nationals last week as scout, President Daniel F. Ciochey of the Haverhill club got into communication with Harley, who is living in Philadelphia, and the latter forwarded his terms yesterday, which were immediately accepted. Harley had been considered for the position before Hamilton was secured two months ago.

President Ciochey, when he was informed that Hamilton had been offered a job as scout for the Boston Nationals, agreed to let him go, as he said, he would not stand in the way of allowing Hamilton to go higher up the baseball ladder. Ciochey received about 12 applications for the job as manager.

Harley will report in this city early next month and he will be playing manager as well as captain of the local team.

**JOSEPH A. LEGARE**  
Takes Charge of Post Office Tomorrow

Joseph A. Legare, whose nomination to the postmastership in this city has been confirmed by the United States senate, will take charge of the local office tomorrow. Mr. Legare's commission will reach this city late this afternoon and he will then have authority to take full charge tomorrow.

Mr. Legare will still retain his business association with Congressman Ames, but will devote all the time necessary to his new position as postmaster. He has visited the local office during the past few days and is well acquainted with the workings of the department, and so expects no trouble in handling the business in a most satisfactory manner.

**BOSTON CUB MARKET**

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal. Nev.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Bay State Gas	30	30	30
Boston City	75	75	75
Davis-Daly	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Ely Consol.	56	56	56
First National	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Goldfield Cons.	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
La. Rose	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Manitowish	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
McKinley	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
National Explorer	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Oneco	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Raven	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Rawhide Mining	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
R. I. Coal	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2

## STOVE EXPLODED

## David Sax Had Narrow Escape From Serious Injury

David Sax, the Concord street shoemaker, had a narrow escape from being probably fatally injured as the result of an explosion of a kitchen range in a tenement in Hogan's building (in Pond street) about 11.30 o'clock this morning. The only thing that saved him from injury was the fact that a few minutes before the explosion he left the kitchen to go to another part of the house. Mr. Sax and his family reside in another section of the city, but a few days ago rented the tenement in the Pond street building and yesterday moved in the great portion of the furniture and purchased a kitchen range for \$45. In order to have the house well heated before his wife and children moved into the new quarters, he set the stove up and started a fire this morning. Shortly after getting the fire going he went to the front part of the house and had been there but a few minutes when he heard a loud report. Rushing into the kitchen he found that the stove had exploded and the fragments of iron were strewn about the room. There was a big hole in the plastering in the ceiling while considerable plastering was torn off the side walls. An alarm from box 14 was sounded and the fire department was soon on the scene and extinguished the blaze. An investigation by the firemen showed the water pipes were frozen and when the fire in the stove reached a certain heat the explosion resulted. The building is owned by the Hogan Brothers and the insurance on the store up and started a fire this morning. The building is owned by the Hogan Brothers and the insurance on the store up and started a fire this morning.

## STRUCK BY CAR

Man Escaped With Slight Injury

John Murray, a man well along in years, was struck by a Christian hill car in Merrimack square near the junction of Merrimack and Central streets, shortly before the noon hour today.

Mr. Murray lives at 46 West Fourth street and was on his way to the Christian machine shop with his son's dinner. Atching from the Pawtucketville car he went around it and walked directly in front of the Christian hill car. He was knocked down and it was first feared that his injuries were serious, but when taken to the office of the company it was found that the extent of his injury consisted of a cut over the left eye. The car was damaged and Mr. Murray continued on his way to the machine shop. Thomas Flynn was the conductor on the Christian hill car and the motorman was Patrick Feis.

**DEATHS**

DACEY—Jeremiah Dacey, aged 65 years, died this morning at his late home, 231 Salem street. Deceased was well known as a member of the Holy Name society, and past commander of Post 120, G. A. R. He is survived by his wife, four daughters, Mrs. William Holden, Mrs. John J. Mullany, Mrs. William Goodwin, and Mrs. George

WHEELER—Mrs. Fred G. Wheeler, aged 38 years, died this morning at St. John's hospital. Her remains were removed to James W. McKenna's undertaking rooms, 319 Bridge street. Funeral notice later.

CORNUM—Miss Cynthia Corburn died this morning at her residence in Dracut, after a long illness, aged 73 years, 4 mos., 5 days. Deceased was an old resident of the town, having lived there all her life. Funeral notice later.

**FIRE BROKE OUT**

In Barber Shop in Moody Street

Fire of unknown origin broke out in the barber shop conducted by Victor Lalaise at the corner of Moody and Cabot streets last night shortly before eight o'clock. Word was sent to Hose 8 in Merrimack street and the firemen succeeded in extinguishing the blaze soon after arriving upon the scene.

The blaze started in a shelf near the stairway leading to the cellar and the firemen have as yet been unable to learn the cause. The building is owned by John Dunn.

The insurance on the building as well as the insurance on the stock and fixtures of Mr. Lalaise is carried through the agency of Fred C. Church.

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Good Bean Pork, lb.....	10c
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10 STAMP SPECIALS	
15c Bottle Crescent Catsup	12c
12c Bottle Hartshorn Ammonia	10c
10c Can Best Potash.....	8c
15c Bottle Worcestershire Sauce .....	10c
12c Bottle Best Baking.....	9c
Large Bag Salt.....	9c



## TEWKSBURY VOTERS BANDITS EXECUTED

Not in Favor of Establishing a Paid Death Penalty For Crime  
Water Supply Plant Committed in Lynn

At the Tewksbury town meeting yesterday it was voted not to establish a water plant for the town. The proposition to install a water plant was "probably the most important article on the warrant. The fact, however, that the town did not vote to establish the water plant does not mean, that the town will not have a new water supply. A few men have banded together in Tewksbury for the purpose of installing a water system. These men have had the water question under discussion for some time and have made all preliminary arrangements for a water supply for fire and domestic purposes. They were willing that the town should take the proposition over and make it a town affair, but in view of the fact that the town frowned upon it, they will go ahead and do business.

Yesterday's town meeting was well attended, but there was little or no excitement. It was expected that the water supply question would develop some argument but the question was disposed of very quietly. The town, as usual, voted no license.

The vote for town officers was as follows:

For town clerk—John H. Chandler, 132.  
For selectmen—Jeremiah K. Chandler, 127; Harry L. Shedd, 156; Buzzell King, 185; Joseph G. Duffy, 121. The first three were elected.

For assessors of the poor—Buzzell King, 184; Harry L. Shedd, 153; Jeremiah K. Chandler, 130; Joseph G. Duffy, 114. The first three were elected.

For board of health—Buzzell King, 185; Harry L. Shedd, 149; Jeremiah K. Chandler, 128; Joseph G. Duffy, 117. The first three were elected.

Assessor for three years—Albert S. Blaisdell, 131; Joel Phelps, 43. Mr. Blaisdell was elected.

Treasurer for one year—Albert S. Moore, 177.

School committee for three years—Clarence E. Clark, 105; Edith Ames Stevens, 79. Mr. Clark was elected.

Auditor for one year—James W. Miller, 191.

Collector of taxes for one year—Melvin G. Rogers, 194.

Constables for one year—Frank H. Farmer and James Manley elected.

Trustees of public library for three years—Sarah A. Dixon, 146; William

H. Lee, 133; Edgar Strauss, 18. The first two named were elected.

Road commissioner for three years—George E. Marshall, 141; John H. Lyman, 19. Mr. Marshall was elected.

Tree warden—Harris M. Briggs, 135. Park commissioner for three years—Harris M. Briggs, 3; Henry M. Billings, 8.

Park commissioner for one year to fill a vacancy—M. A. Patten, 11.

The officers went over the ballots for park commissioner for three years several times in an effort to break the tie between Messrs. Billings and Briggs, but were unable to do so.

Mr. Trull offered a resolution to the effect that a committee of three be appointed to confer with the Boston and Northern officials for the purpose of obtaining a more adequate and effective service through the town.

The resolution was adopted, and a committee of three, comprising Henry M. Billings, Frank P. Putnam and Melvin Rogers, was named.

Surveyors of lumber were elected as follows: John Anderson, William T. Lewis, Peter W. Cameron, James W. Miller and H. A. Wilson.

The following were named as measurers of wood and bark: John Anderson, William T. Lewis, Peter W. Cameron, H. A. Wilson and James W. Miller.

George D. Marshall was elected town appraiser, and George H. Brown, sexton, also janitor of the grange hall and library. Henry Norris was elected janitor of the town hall.

The vote on the license question stood: No, 57; yes, 10.

Reports of town officers were accepted. The report of the town treasurer, Albert S. Moore, showed assets in the amount of \$10,054.30, with liabilities amounting to \$8277.77, representing a balance of \$1776.53. This is the first time in nine years that the town has had a balance to its credit. In 1904 the town owed \$30,285.79. The present balance is \$14.90.

Under article 4 a committee was appointed to consider the estimates for the ensuing year, and to make recommendations as to appropriations. This committee made the following report which was adopted:

Schools, \$3300; highways, \$800, in addition to money expended from the excise and street railway tax; fire department, \$250; town farm, \$200; police, \$300; health, \$200; stationery and printing, \$400; salaries, \$1500; tree warden, \$25; insane and poor, \$550.

**MAYOR KILLED**  
AFTER A ROW ABOUT LITIGATION IN COURT

PINEVILLE, La., March 7.—J. E. Walker, mayor of this city, was shot and instantly killed yesterday by William McManus, after a row about litigation in the district court. When McManus aimed, Walker ran, but the bullet entered the latter's back. McManus was captured and placed in jail.

**How Millions Of Friends**  
How would you like to number your friends by millions as Buckle's Arnica Salve does? Its astounding cures in the past forty years made it the best salve in the world for sores, ulcers, eczema, burns, boils, scalds, chills, corns, sore eyes, sprains, swellings, bruises, cold sores. It is no equal for pills. 25c at A. W. Dow's & Co.

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ANDREI IPSEN.



WASSILI IVANOWSKI

## Ipsen Smiled as He Was Going to the Death Chair—His Companion, Ivankowski, Displayed Bravado to the Last

BOSTON, March 7.—For the murder last summer of Thomas A. Landregan, a wealthy shoe manufacturer of Lynn, and Patrolman James H. Carroll, of the Lynn police force, in a bold daylight robbery, Andrei Ipsen, 19, and Wassili Ivankowski, 22, were electrocuted at the Charlestown state prison early this morning.

Ipsen was the first to enter the death chamber and at 12:23 the current was applied. He was declared dead at 12:19.13. Ivankowski followed about five minutes later, the current being turned on at 12:23.55 and he being pronounced dead at 12:30.25.

Ipsen who was the first to meet death, was led to the chair by the prison guards and as he was placed in the seat he gave a nod of recognition to an official of the Essex county house of correction, who had formerly been his neighbor. Father A. D. Boyce accompanied the prisoner and audibly repeated the Lord's prayer, holding his crucifix before the prisoner's eyes, until the death mask shut out his sight forever.

Ivankowski, who had since his arrest declared himself a God, walked to his death laughing and sneering, talking audibly in Russian all the time. He seated himself unaided in the chair and a pronounced bravado met the death dealing current with a snarl over his lips.

The two men were dead within 20 minutes of the time the first victim entered the death chamber.

Both men were given 1900 volts having an amperage of from 7.1-2 to 9.

Father Malloy did not return to the execution chamber after the death of Ipsen, and Ivankowski passed into the other world the selfish he professed himself to be, no religious advisor directing his last thoughts.

By special order of the court, given by Chief Justice Aiken of the supreme court, Dr. George Burgess MacGrath, medical examiner of Suffolk county, will perform an autopsy on both bodies.

It is believed, carries a bullet in his brain, and just what course the leaden missile followed and yet allowed the man to live so long is of scientific interest.

Besides Warden B. F. Bridges, the witnesses to the execution included the Joseph I. McLaughlin, prison physician; Dr. George Burgess MacGrath, medical examiner of Suffolk county; and Dr. Chas. C. Foster, surgeon general of Massachusetts; the three legal witnesses; Dr. J. E. O'Shea, city physician of Lynn; and the men following their crimes; Dr. Joseph B. Lyons of Charlestown; John C. Bennett, deputy master of the Essex county house of correction; Rev. A. D. Malloy, prison chaplain and Jay B. Denton of the Boston Transcript, the press representative.

**Story of Crime**  
The crime for which Wassili Ivankowski and Andrei Ipsen were executed at the state prison early today was the murder at Lynn of Thomas A. Landregan, a prominent shoe manufacturer of Lynn, and Patrolman James H. Carroll of the Lynn police force. The murder was prompted by robbery and was one of the boldest and most sensational ever committed in Massachusetts.

On Saturday, June 25, Mr. Landregan, accompanied by Patrolman Carroll as a bodyguard, was returning

from a Lynn bank to his factory carrying the factory's weekly pay-roll, about \$4500, in a bag. On Oxford street three men approached the manufacturer and the policeman from behind.

Without a word of warning Landregan and Carroll were shot dead in their trucks and the murderers, seizing the bag filled with money, started on a dash through the streets toward High Rock, an entrance overlooking the city.

The murder of Landregan and Carroll was witnessed by a number of persons, who immediately started in pursuit. The three bandits turned about from time to time, firing at their pursuers.

Within a few moments after the murder police and citizens, armed and conveyed in dozens of automobiles, had made the escape of the bandits impossible. The three murderers, when they reached the summit of High Rock, hastily divided the paper currency that was in the bag and then endeavored to escape in the direction of Boston.

They were headed off by their pursuers, several shots were exchanged, and during the fight with the police one of the bandits was killed.

This man has never been identified and is known to the police only by the abbreviated name of "Joe."

Ipsen was seriously wounded and Ivankowski surrendered to the authorities.

The trial of Ivankowski and Ipsen opened in November last before Chief Justice Aiken of the Massachusetts superior court in the Essex county court house at Salem. The trial lasted only a few days, and after deliberating less than two hours, the jury on Nov. 18 returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree in the case of both men. Sentence of death was pronounced the same day.

Ipsen received the sentence in a stolid manner, but as Ivankowski was being led back to jail he addressed some threatening words to the judges, declaring that the judge would be sorry later.

The case of Ivankowski and Ipsen is almost unique in Massachusetts criminal jurisprudence, inasmuch as less than nine months elapsed from the time of the commission of the crime to the execution in the electric chair.

**LABOR LEADERS**  
SAID TO BE URGING THE ELECTION OF SHEEHAN

ELMIRA, N. Y., March 7.—Dr. John Seely of Woodhull, an assemblyman from Steuben county, in an interview with a newspaper correspondent at Corning last night said that he felt himself freed from abiding by the choice of the democratic caucus which chose William F. Sheehan as the nominee for United States senator, by the recent statement given out by Governor Dix. Mr. Seely was on his way to resume his legislative duties at Albany. Assemblyman Seely said:

"I don't know to how great an extent the statement made by Governor Dix will affect the democratic members of the legislature, but I expect a general loosening up as the result of it. Personally I feel that it has freed me. I believe that if a secret ballot were to be taken today, a majority of the democrats would be found to be against the further continuance of Mr. Sheehan's candidacy."

"I believe it is up to the leaders to settle this matter. The interests of the party are being sacrificed by continuing Mr. Sheehan in the race when he cannot be elected. Great pressure is being brought to bear on the so-called insurgents. Union labor is exerting its influence in behalf of Sheehan. Only today I was approached by a labor leader from Buffalo."

**WOMAN SUFFRAGE**  
CARSON, N. Y., March 7.—A resolution submitting the question of woman suffrage to a vote of the people was adopted yesterday by the assembly. It is believed that the senate also will adopt the resolution.

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## Wait and Watch

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## CHURCH FEDERATION GENERAL STRIKE

## Permanently Organized at a Meeting Held Last Night

The Lowell Federation of Churches was permanently organized last night at a meeting held in Kitter hall. The original constitution with a few minor changes was adopted.

Rev. J. E. Gregg, chairman of the provisional committee, called the meeting to order and Rev. H. W. Hook acted as secretary. When the roll was called it was found that there were 26 churches represented. The report of the provisional committee was accepted and Revs. J. E. Gregg and H. W. Hook were chosen as chairman and clerk of the meeting.

The next matter taken up was the proposed constitution and each article was discussed separately. Several minor changes were made and it was then unanimously voted to adopt the constitution.

The chairman named the following committee to present a list of nominations for officers and executive committee:

Harvey B. Greene, Rev. A. R. Ditts, B. R. Clements, Rev. J. W. Stephan and Miss Emily Skilton.

Before the report of the nominating committee, Mr. Herbert Carleton, general secretary of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, was introduced and presented the work of the "Men in Religion" movement, the purpose of which is to increase the male membership in the various churches represented in the movement.

The work was supported in brief remarks by Rev. S. W. Cummings, Rev. George F. Kenngott, Dr. Yarnell of the Y. M. C. A. The matter was then referred to the executive committee, with the recommendation that that body, if it considers such action advisable, shall appoint a committee of five to take steps to put the movement forward in Lowell.

The following officers named by the nominating committee were elected: President, Rev. J. E. Gregg; Vice president, Mr. F. A. Bowen; Secretary, Rev. James Bancroft; Treasurer, Mr. John Perry.

The executive committee, which, as provided by the constitution, consists of the above officers and one minister from each of the churches represented, was organized and one lay representative from

each of the denominations represented in the Federation, is as follows: Baptist, Rev. S. W. Cummings; Mr. Wm. F. Hills; Congregational, Rev. George F. Kenngott; Mr. J. W. Griffin; Methodist, Rev. H. W. Hook; Mr. Henry O. Brooks; Episcopal, Rev. A. St. John; Presbyterian, Rev. J. M. Craig; Miss E. M. Skilton; United Presbyterian, Rev. S. A. Jackson; Mr. O. G. Cameron; Free Baptist, Rev. J. C. Wilson, Mr. W. O. Brown; Unitarian, Rev. C. T. Billings; Mr. Walter Coburn; Universalist, Rev. C. E. Fisher; Mr. James S. Hastings; Ministry-at-Large, Rev. George C. Wright, Mr. Harvey B. Greene.

During the course of the meeting it was voted by the members of the federation to request the Lowell delegation to oppose the repeal of the bar and bottle bill.

The federation also passed a vote favoring the appointment of five fraternal delegates to sit with the Trades and Labor council, in accordance with an invitation extended by a representative of that council. This matter will come before the executive committee for further action.

**FINE PROGRAM**  
ENJOYED BY MEMBERS OF BOOK-MONTH CLUB

A very interesting as well as enjoyable meeting of the Book-a-Month club was held last night at the home of Mrs. J. Clark Glidden, 1238 Middlesex street. A business meeting was held during the early part of the evening after which an entertainment program followed.

The members responded to roll call with quotations from the works of Lucy Larcom and a short account of an life and works was given. Miss Sadie Jardine read a paper written by Miss Lucy Hill, formerly of this city, on the political situation of the time. Mrs. William E. Kezer gave an account of point lace and Miss Ella Carlton read a paper written by Mrs. L. E. Kimball on "coral." Miss Jardine had charge of the current events topic and the book and magazine reports. There were games pertaining to St. Patrick and Mrs. Kezer won the prizes. The colors in the dining room were green and the national colors. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Wesley M. Wilson, Mrs. Arthur Ferguson and Mrs. John J. Hibbs.

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## Of 50,000 Teamsters is Threatened

NEW YORK, March 7.—A vote will be taken tonight upon the question of a general strike by the 50,000 teamsters in New York in sympathy with grocery wagon drivers who recently struck for uniform hours. The vote will be taken by delegates of the various local unions at a meeting which will follow an effort by the grocery drivers to press their case to a settlement with the employers.

Leaders of the drivers asserted last night that almost every teamster in the city was ready to strike if necessary.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We, the undersigned, desire to thank our neighbors and kind friends for their sympathy expressed to us in our recent bereavement by their many acts of kindness and for the beautiful floral gifts sent for the funeral of our beloved one.

Mrs. Anna F. Sperry and daughter, Mrs. Harry O. Mulino.

**BRITISH NAVY ESTIMATES**  
LONDON, March 7.—It is stated that the navy estimates show an increase of only \$17,500,000, the call for new construction not being so insistent as had been anticipated.

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Tyngsboro does not seem to care whether the Country club sells out, moves out or dies out.

Dracont, Tewksbury and Tyngsboro have decided to remain in the no-license column at least for another year. They can thus avoid the possible application of the bar and bottle law.

Peary and his friends seem to think that an explorer and an admiral mean one and the same thing. The explorer must be able to stand the cold of the icy north, the admiral the intense heat of battle.

The Lynn bandits went to the electric chair more quickly than did any Massachusetts murderer for a long time. The murder was committed on June 25 and the electrocution not quite nine months afterwards.

## CIVIL SERVICE RULES FOR COUNTY EMPLOYEES

Strango as it may seem the civil service law up to the present has not been applied to the employees of counties. There is no reason that we can see why this should be so, and hence the bill now before the legislature with that object in view should receive general support.

The employees of the counties should be regulated by law just as much as those under state or municipal control. The appointments of subordinate officials in the counties should be under the same regulations as now control state employees, and selections should be made from the eligible list prepared after an impartial examination.

## THE NOXIOUS CIGARETTE HABIT

The local police have received a number of complaints relative to stores that sell cigarettes to boys. The cigarette habit is so detrimental to boys that it is necessary to enforce the law quite strictly, and there is little doubt that the complaints reaching the police station will cause Supt. Welch to have his officers look sharply after this particular offence.

It is alleged that some men who indulge in the habit send boys to stores for cigarettes, and the boys come back with the packages ordered. Sometimes the same boys call in for packages of cigarettes on their own account, and say they were sent by older persons. Similarly they receive what they require on payment of the price.

The cigarette habit has proved the ruin of so many boys that it is prohibited in a number of business establishments in different parts of the city. Smoking in general is prohibited in many, but the cigarette habit is singled out for special exclusion in others where the pipe or cigar is allowed. It is to be hoped that this example will be followed so that men and boys who become addicted to the cigarette habit will find it to their advantage to lay it aside.

## FOR MORE REGULAR STREETS

There is a bill before the legislature on petition of Mayor Meehan providing that no street shall be accepted by the city until it be approved by the superintendent of streets, the city engineer and the mayor. Much of the irregularity of our city streets is due to the fact that property owners laid out the streets to suit the size of their lots and their own convenience without regard to lineality or public convenience as to width and direction. As a result it often happens that city streets are crooked, too narrow and laid out without due regard to the needs of the locality or the general appearance of the district.

When a land owner decides to cut up his land into building lots he lays streets through it in a manner best calculated to aid in disposing of the rest of the land. He does not consider convenience or direction that connection with other streets would dictate, and as a result the streets are angular and irregular in many instances.

The bill now before the legislature should have been enacted twenty-five years ago. Had such a law been in force then, we should now have a more beautiful city. This bill is in line with the city beautiful, and will accomplish a great deal in that direction if enacted and properly enforced.

## THE MAGAZINE POSTAL RATES

There is a good deal of misapprehension in regard to the proposition to increase the rates on magazines on account of their valuable advertising. The government has proposed this as a means of making up the deficit in its revenues. Some people, however, are of the opinion that by the proposed change the government would lose as much as it would gain. The advertising in magazines implies a lot of other business, such as correspondence between the advertisers and the agents, on copy from agents or advertisers, on proofs, on bills, remittances, letters to readers, orders from readers to advertisers, postage on goods mailed to readers, on bills from publishers to subscribers, first and third class postage on letters soliciting subscriptions and various other reasons for correspondence arising from the mail order business which is now so extensive all over the country. What is said of advertising in the magazines as resulting from correspondence and followed by more correspondence is equally true of the foreign advertising in the newspapers, so that it is easily seen how this business is built up.

It is true at the same time that magazines charge such high prices for advertising and for the magazines themselves that they can well afford to pay "higher rates" without being seriously disturbed; but whether they could pay the increase proposed by the postal department without being seriously affected is a question that experts alone can decide. It is equally a question for the experts to what extent the increase in rates would be offset by a falling off in the business incidental to magazine advertising. The matter has now been left to a commission of experts, and upon the report of their investigation will depend the action of congress as to whether the rates will be increased.

## SEEN AND HEARD

One clear, cold winter's day Benjamin Franklin spread a number of handkerchiefs carefully on a level stretch of snow. One of the handkerchiefs was black, another white and the others of various colors. Some time afterwards he returned and removed the handkerchiefs carefully one by one, measuring the depth of snow under each. Under the black handkerchief he found that the snow had melted considerably; under a red handkerchief almost as much; under a blue handkerchief, very little, and under the white one, scarcely any. By this simple experiment he learned that the sun's heat had a great deal to do with the warmth of clothing. White sheds the sun's heat almost as well as an oilskin sheds water; blue is nearly as heatproof; green is less so; yellow is a warm color; red a still warmer color, while black soaks up all the sun's heat that strikes it. Try the experiment before the snow goes, and you will see why black clothes are out of place in summertime and white ducks in winter.—Christian Herald.

"Have you ever thought that you would care to marry a man with a title?" he asked.  
"Really?" she replied, pretending to make light of it. "I have never thought much about it."  
"Still, I suppose if a man with a title were to come along you would not treat him coldly merely because he happened to have a handle to his name?"  
"Well, I have no doubt that there are some very good men who possess titles."  
"Let us suppose, for instance, that I had a title."  
"I can't imagine such a thing."  
"But if such a thing could be?"  
"I hardly know what you mean."  
"Why, if I had a title and came to you with a proposal of marriage, would you be disposed to listen to me kindly?"  
"But you haven't any title, and you

## A Good Digestion

means a man or woman good for something—good work or pleasant times. Whoever has distress after eating, sick headaches, nausea, bad taste, unpleasant breath, cannot find good in anything, or be of much use in the world.

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## WHY?

"There are problems in this busy world to solve are mighty tough; Pray tell us why the smallest girl Should tote the biggest muffs?" —Chicago News.

Or why the very smallest maid

Puts on the fearful 'rat'

And staggers down the street beneath

A flower garden hat? —Birmingham Age-Herald.

Or why the girl with feet too big

For ordinary shoes

Goes in and tells the shoe clerk she

Would like a pair of ice? —Houston Post.

Or why the dainty maiden small,

Who measures four-foot-one,

Must wed a huster six feet tall,

Who weighs about a ton? —Springfield Union.

Or why the girl so thin and pale,

Ecchymosed by monster hat,

Should have no eyes far any one

Except the man who's fat? —

## WOMAN'S CROWNING GLORY.

She was lithe, petite and dainty, With complexion clear and fair; And she had that crowning glory Of a woman—gleaming hair. But she could not be contented With the locks of Nature's gift, So she sought a swell hairdresser's Just to give her locks a lift. And that swell hairdresser fixed it With a little bunch of jute, worked in puffs and ringlets cute; piled them on her silky cap—'and she thought herself a "beaut!"

First she brushed the gleaming tresses "All they waved about her face; Then she took a peck of hairpins Aimed to hold the hair in place. After which, with much painstaking, Out of wire lying by She began to lay foundation For hair bunches mountain high. Yes, that most expert hairdresser made a frame of wire, like a prison built for rats, and piled jute and hair around it with about a million pats.

Then she made some corkscrew ringlets Out of jute scraps that were left, And proceeded to apply them In a manner quick and deft. Then she took the whole creation She stuck on with glowing pride A be-ribboned and be-flowered Hat with brim some four feet wide. Then this sweet, top-heavy maiden With her head of phoney hair, took a stroll to get the air, thinking that the folk who saw her thought her hair was on the square.

## PEOPLE OF NOTE

One is reminded forcibly of Thackeray's "Hogyn Mogyn of the Hundred Bees," the ancestor of Sir Alfred de Morgyns (formerly Muggins), when one reads that at the christening of Lord Fitzwilliam's son one of the family relics displayed was a Norman scarf which had been given by William the Conqueror to an ancestor of the family after the battle of Hastings! It is well known that the ancient Yorkshire family of Fitzwilliam of Spothroth became extinct early in the reign of Henry VIII, when their estate passed (through heiresses) to the Conyns and the Sables. The ancestor of Lord Fitzwilliam was Alderman Sir William Fitzwilliam, a wealthy London merchant in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, and when he wanted to find a pedigree the obliging heralds managed by some hocuspocus to connect him with the well-known Yorkshire family, but he really had no more to do with

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## WHEN THE DEBATE ON THE SECOND READING OF THE NAVAL ESTIMATES FOR 1911 WAS ON IN THE REICHSTAG, GRAND ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ MADE A SORT OF ADYNE SPEECH IN WHICH HE ASSUMED TO EXPLAIN THE PURPOSE OF GERMAN NAVAL DEVELOPMENT. FROM THE BEGINNING, HE SAID, THE GERMAN NAVY HAD NEVER BEEN INTENDED FOR AGGRESSIVE PURPOSES, BUT GERMAN SEA POWER MUST BE SUCH THAT ANY OTHER GREAT NATION WOULD BE TAKING A RISK IN ATTACKING GERMANY.

He said the navy laws were the only method by which the government could speedily create the desired amount of sea power, with the available funds. If the fluctuations of public opinion had to be combated every year the development would have been much slower.

In another speech the grand admiral tried to soothe the English anxieties. He said: "It is a quite astonishing mistake in England that we have accelerated the construction of our navy outside the provisions of the navy law. That would have been possible only if the Reichstag had voted us the money for the purpose. In point of fact we have not had a penny for the purpose, and so we have been strangely affected by this assertion that has been made in England."

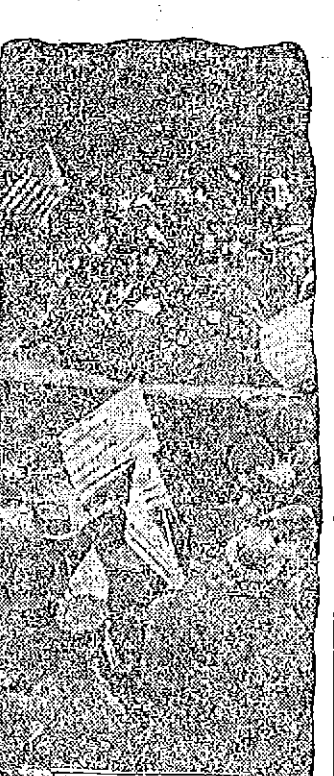
In the course of the debate a socialist deputy, Herr Hue, attacked the Krupp firm. Admitting that it spent much money on social institutions, he said it had squeezed the whole Essen region like a lemon. Forty per cent. of the workers' dwellings were of two rooms with one bed for four or five persons, while the profits of the Krupp family alone in the last three years were \$11,700,000.

Von Tirpitz simply replied that hardly any other firm in the world had done so much to improve the housing and social conditions of its workmen.

## LORIMER PLEASED

With Way the Chicago People Received Him

CHICAGO, March 7.—The return of United States Senator William Lorimer to his home here after being cleared of the charges of bribery made against him in the upper house, caused a remarkable demonstration to be made by his friends. The demonstration is considered especially noteworthy because of the expressed belief of many people that he should not have been allowed to retain his seat in the senate. Ten thousand friends and two bands crowded the Pennsylvania station. There were William Hale Thompson, master of ceremonies; Judge Elbridge Haneey, former counsel for the senator; Edward Hines, the lumber millionaire; Congressman Ferd



LORIMER'S RETURN TO CHICAGO

Lundin, Alderman Michael Kenna (Hinky Dink) of the senator's newsboy days and almost a thousand leaders of the Lorimer wing of the republican party in the gathering. After greetings at the station the senator was placed in an automobile, and with seventy machines behind there began a procession to the Lorimer home in Douglas boulevard. All along Jackson boulevard crowds lined the sidewalks and cheered the senator. At Garfield park he was greeted by a big crowd of women and children. They carried wreaths, bunches of violets and other flowers, which they threw into the Lorimer machine until it was filled. At the approach to Douglas boulevard one band played "Home Sweet Home," and the other "Auld Lang Syne." However, a demonstration of an opposite nature occurred at Rockford, Ill. At a mass meeting attended by 2000 residents of Whitehago county and marked by enthusiasm that was more intense than that shown at political conventions the resignation

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calf, wax calf, patent calf. Sold for \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50, now \$1.95

Men's \$5.00 Shoes, \$2.65. Full lines of conservative lasts, and the newest of smart styles for young men. Box calf, gun metal; tan grain leather, patent calf, double soles for street wear and single sole dress shoes, button and lace—and in this sale also Storm and Skating Boots. Were \$3.50; \$4 and \$5, now \$2.65

Men's First Quality Rubbers—reinforced where the wear comes \$5c and \$1.00

Men's Best Quality Overshoes and Arctics, one buckle and four buckles \$2 and \$3

## BOYS' SKATING BOOTS \$1.49

Boys' Heavy Grain Leather Skating and Storm Boots. Good long legs, with extra heavy double soles—metal eyelets, two strap fasteners at top, tan color or black. Sizes 8 to 13½, sold for \$1.75 and \$2.00, now \$1.49

Skating Boots and Storm Boots, for large boys, sizes 1 to 6, heavy grain leathers, tan or black. Sold for \$2.50 and \$3, now \$1.85

## IN POLICE COURT

### Man Gets Eight Months to Jail--

### Heavy Fines Imposed

Peter Ducharme, Peter Paquin and Joseph Richard who appeared before the court last week charged with breaking and entering the junk shop of John Mayo in Coolidge street, and stealing copper, were to have been given a hearing before Judge Hadley today but when their cases were called Deputy Downey informed the court that the defendants had been brought

before the grand jury yesterday and would ask for a continuance till next Monday in order to ascertain what disposition the grand jury would make. The court granted the request.

Eight Months in Jail  
Louis Perrault was charged with two counts of larceny. The first alleged that on March 3 he stole a pair of trousers and pair of traces valued at \$3 the property of Samuel Cole, while in the hands of the defendant. The second count alleged that he stole a pair of trousers and pair of traces valued at \$3 the property of Samuel Cole, while in the hands of the defendant. The court granted the request.

before the resolution had been read in full citizens shouted, "Make both resolutions be passed after the assembly had been brought to high indignation by speeches denouncing the senators who voted for Lorimer's retention and the senator himself. The citizens' committee which arranged the meeting planned only to demand the retirement of Mr. Lorimer, but

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## HAVERHILL BLUE

## Because Billy Hamilton Goes With Boston

The Lynn item has the following relative to Billy Hamilton's departure from the Haverhill team.

A surprise to baseball fans today is the announcement that "Billy" Hamilton, the past two seasons manager of the Lynn team, and signed for 1911 to handle the Haverhill club, has accepted a position as scout for the Boston Nationals and will begin his duties at once. Some were inclined to disbelieve it because they claimed he was signed to manage Haverhill. As far as can be learned his contract with Haverhill was conditional, or otherwise he could not get away from it.

The most disappointed man of all is Dan F. Cloney and he refuses to talk on the question. He fairly idolizes Hamilton and thinks he is one of the greatest baseball managers in the country today. This friendship on Hamilton's part is fully reciprocated. Cloney, when he took the presidency of the Haverhill club this year, was happy at the prospect of having Hamilton for manager, for he was confident "Billy" would produce a winning team. Some time was spent in inducing Hamilton to take the offer from the new president of the Haverhill club, and then it was surmised that "Billy" had something else in view. To get Hamilton it is believed President Cloney had to make his contract conditional. This leaves Haverhill without a manager. President Cloney told the directors of the club that at a meeting a few days ago. The directors and Dan Cloney, in taking a team that had been shot to pieces, had high hopes of making a big success the coming season with Hamilton at the helm. "Billy" always did make good in that city and produced a winning team of youngsters. He considered the only man able to meet the wants of the club and place it on a sound financial basis.

## Cloney Discouraged

President Cloney is wondering to whom he can give the reins to take the manager's position and make good. It is said that his ambition received an awful blow and he has little confidence of successfully filling Hamilton's shoes. Some are talking Tom Danton again.

Hamilton has been at the headquarters of the Boston Nationals much for the past month. His first work was turning over Catcher Neale to Tenney, a player he signed up last winter. The youngster is with the Nationals on their trip. This was when he was acting in the capacity of semi-scout. Now that he has the appointment he will begin his work at once. He is said to have signed up for that position and it so it has been done between him and Tenney. Peter Kelley, secretary of the club, has not yet received the papers, and says that if such an agreement has been reached that it is personal between Hamilton and Tenney, and that Hamilton's signature has not yet been placed to a contract.

Hamilton was picked some weeks ago by Tenney in his baseball article as being the greatest center fielder the game has ever had, and he gave his reasons while staying his faults. Tenney and Hamilton were old teammates on the Boston Nationals. A report from Boston says that Hamilton, signing as scout with the Nationals, will mean that for the first time in years the club will have a shrewd and experienced judge of players to look out for young talent. Hamilton has a number of promising young players in view and among them men in the New England league, where he knows every player.

Without doubt he will visit Lynn at some of the games this summer to look over the boys and will be the means of landing some of them in the big show.

Jack Coveney, who played with New Bedford and Lawrence in the New England league, has signed up with Columbia in the South Atlantic league.

He will be the first string catcher. The South Atlantic is a class C league lower than the New England.

Fred Wohleben, who is well remembered by Lawrence fans as the big fellow who failed to make good on the first corner for the Lawrence team a few seasons ago under Mal. W. Egan, has been traded by the Columbia team of the South Atlantic. He was sold to a club in the Texas league, Columbia getting Harbison, a utility player and Pitcher Lefty Lewis. The Texas league is a Class B league, the same class as the New England.

Says the Lawrence Telegram: Manager Pieper today announced that Breyer's contract has been received. He said he is in good shape and ready for lots of hard work. Manager Pieper was unable to get Galvin from the Fayetteville club which sold him to Winston-Salem. Lawrence made a good offer but Winston-Salem evidently bid higher.

Breyer is supposed to be a cracking good catcher. He practically won the pennant for the Lansing club last year after he was loaned by Saginaw. Lansing offered \$500 to Saginaw for Breyer, but the latter club thought he was too good to have on another club in the same league. With this fellow in line, the catching department will be well looked after.

Manager Pieper has also signed Richard J. Howell of Roxbury, a promising left handed pitcher. Howard first came into prominence as a twirler as a member of the East Boston team in 1906, when he was the team's mainstay. He pitched masterly ball all year for the team and in one game against the strong Walworths of South Boston twirled a no-hit, no-run game.

In 1907 his box work as a member of the Attleboro team attracted the attention of the manager of the Uxbridge team of the Mill league, for which team he made a fine record. The following year found him with the Norville team in the same league, where he kept up his good record.

At the first of last season he again joined with the Norville team and won six out of eight games before Williamstown, champions of the Eastern Connecticut league, secured him. His pitching for this team practically gave them the championship, as he won 13 out of 14 games.

Several of the minor league managers had been trying to get Howard to sign with their club, but it remained for Louis Pieper to secure him. He is a stockily built fellow, weighing 175 pounds and stands 5 feet 8 inches in height. He is a valuable man on any team as an out-fielder, besides being a good hitter.

## TENNEY'S BAND

STARTED TO AUGUSTA, GA. THIS MORNING

BOSTON, March 7.—Manager Fred Tenney of the Boston National baseball team and a squad of a dozen players left Boston at 1 o'clock this morning bound for the southern training camp at Augusta, Ga. More players will be added as the train proceeds south so that by the time Augusta is reached the full complement except Outfielder Gonde, who is ill will be on hand.

## HAVERHILL GETS PLAYER

SYRACUSE, N. Y., March 7.—Shortstop Harry Abery of the Syracuse State league team was last night sold to Haverhill of the New England league.

## WESLEYAN DEFEATED DARTMOUTH

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., March 7.—In the last basket ball game of the season, Wesleyan defeated Dartmouth last night 21 to 10. The score at the half was 11 to 8. After the game the Wesleyan players elected George Davidson of New York as next year's captain.

## FOUGHT A DRAW

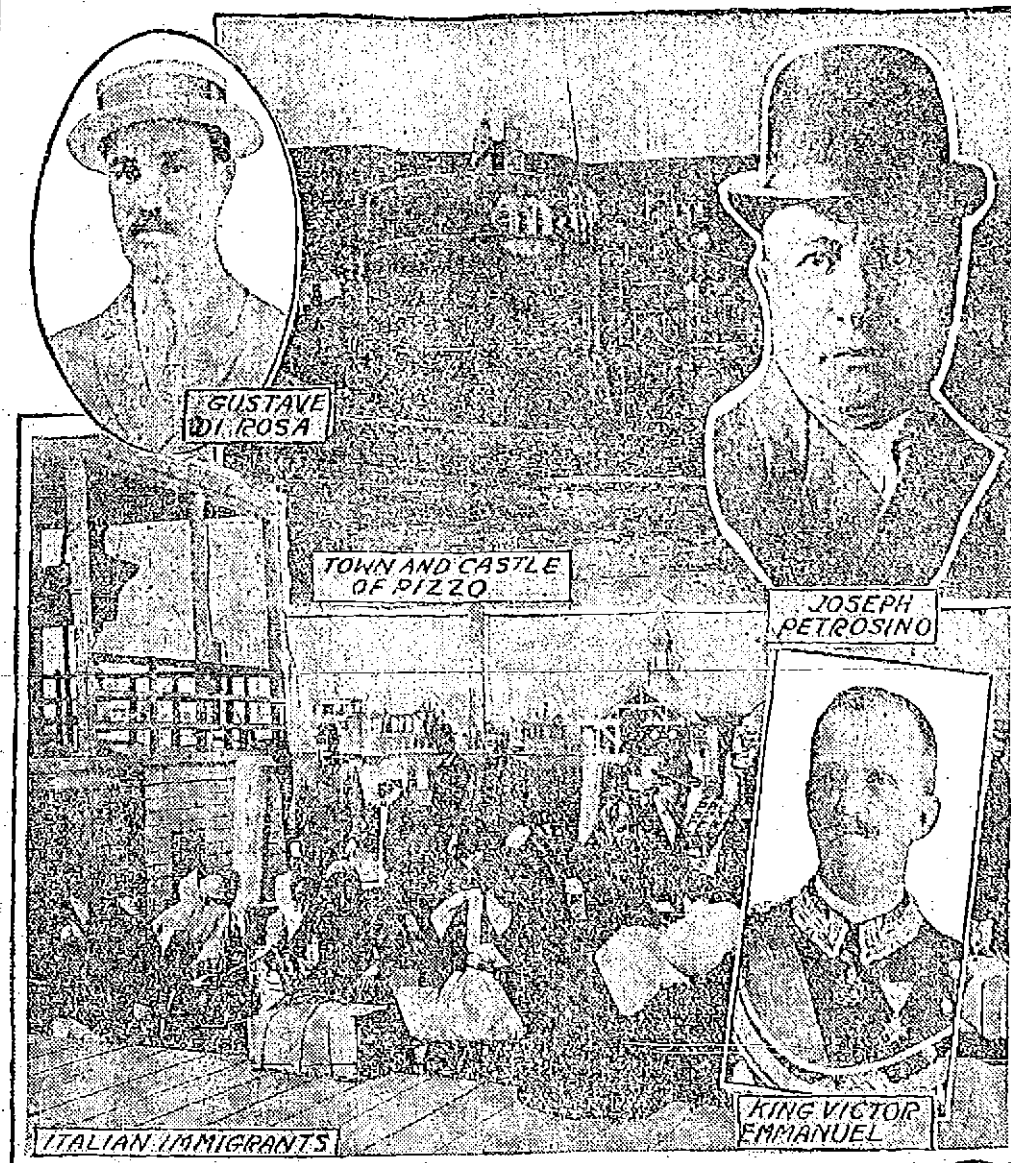
NEW BEDFORD, March 7.—Kid Murphy of New York and Chicken Roskin of this city fought 12 rounds to a draw before the New Bedford A. A. last night. Billy Farlow for Fall River got the decision over Maryland Briggs of Brockton in eight rounds.

## CHAS. D. HILLES BECOMES PRESIDENT'S SEC'Y APRIL 4



CHARLES D. HILLES  
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARY

WASHINGTON, March 7.—"It has been announced at the White House that Hon. Charles D. Hilles, assistant secretary of the treasury, will succeed Mr. Norton as secretary to the president on April 4. In reply to inquiries Mr. Norton stated that on April 6 he would become vice-president of the First National bank of New York. Each guest at a luncheon given by Charles D. Hilles at his home here found the above note at his place as he sat down at the table. The guests were the newspaper men regularly stationed at the White House and others who have seen service at one time or another at the summer capital at Haverhill, Mass. The luncheon was given in order to have them meet Mr. Hilles, the new secretary to the president. After the luncheon President Taft came in and held a little reception, to which most of the newspaper men in the press gallery were invited. The nomination of Robert O. Bailey, now private secretary to Secretary MacVough, to be assistant secretary of the treasury, succeeding Mr. Hilles, probably will be sent to the senate soon. Mr. Hilles is about forty years old and came originally from Ohio, but was appointed assistant secretary of the treasury from Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., where he was conducting a boys' school. He has been highly regarded by Mr. Taft ever since he entered the government service and possesses the friendship of influential members of congress. The president has employed Hilles frequently on important missions,

TRIAL OF CAMORRA CRIMINALS IN ITALY  
LIKELY TO EXPOSE MURDERERS OF PETROSINO

VITERBO, Italy, March 7.—The trial of the forty-one alleged members of the Camorra, the Italian combination of thieves and murderers, set to begin March 11, will provide sensations of international interest. One of the men who will be tried is Enrico Alfano, the alleged head and guiding spirit of the Camorra, who is accused of having instigated the murder of Gennaro Cuocolo and his wife, who was known as "the beautiful Sorrentina." The trial is of especial interest to Americans because it is the belief of the authorities on both sides of the Atlantic that it will provide testimony that may result in revealing the identity of the slayers of the detective Joseph Petrosino, of New York, who, sent to Sicily by Theodore Bingham, then police commissioner, to learn about the doings of Italian criminals in New York, was killed in Palermo. Inside information is also expected to be revealed as to the manner in which the black hand desperadoes reach the United States by traveling in steamboat staterooms as immigrants. The police of the large eastern cities of the United States are baffled by the cleverness of the black hand criminals, who perpetrate blackmailing outrages almost daily, and if the government can find a way to prevent the further swelling of their numbers by having their fellow criminals detained in Italy, the police problems of cities like New York, Boston Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, etc., will be greatly simplified. Gustavo di Rosa, Italian consul at New York, is greatly interested in the trial, and he believes that it will have the result of breaking up the dreaded Camorra entirely and that it will lessen the immigration of black handers to the United States owing to the publicity which they and their methods of operation will receive at the trial. King Victor Emmanuel of Italy has shown deep interest in the trial and has urged the government officials to use every effort to convict the accused men. In Naples, Sicily, Calabria, etc., are found the breeding places of the notorious criminals who make Italy a place of terror to natives and foreigners alike. Banded inseparably together, they prey mercilessly on friend and foe alike, exacting tribute from rich and poor as a license for them to preserve their business or their personal safety. One of the towns in Calabria where many of these criminals have been produced is Pizzo, on a gulf opening into the Mediterranean sea, and the ancient castle there has at times been used as a prison for them.

The arrest of Enrico Alfano, or Erri, come, as he is better known, and several associates was the cause of popular rejoicing, which gave way to indignation when he was later released through the connivance of the priest Cleo Vittorzi, who is now a prisoner himself charged with being a member of the Camorra. The arrest of Erri, come, and the campaign of extermination begun against the dreaded band of robbers and murderers was due to the personal intervention of King Victor Emmanuel. The complaints of the best part of the population reached the Duke d'Aosta, commander of the Naples army who submitted the case direct to the king. The two decided that war without quarter should be made upon the scum infesting the largest Italian town. Colonel Ranorino, commander of the

legion of carabinieri in Naples, a brave and energetic Piedmontese, was called to Rome and given carte blanche in order that his men might strike the Camorra in all its ramifications. From that moment Naples has breathed more freely. Captains Fabbri and Joveno and Marshals Capezzuti and Ferris, are the heroes of this drama, for it was by their efforts that the nucleus of the most audacious Camorristas has been broken up, the leading spirits brought within the clutches of the law and the evidence said to be sufficient for their condemnation obtained. It is now asserted that since this work of purification began the proportion of crimes against property in Naples has become lower than that of any other European town having a population of more than 500,000.

## SHOT TO DEATH

Man's Body Pierced by Bullets

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., March 7.—His body pierced by a dozen bullets, Wood Ayres, a prominent citizen of Allen county, was shot to death last night.

Ayres married the daughter of Mrs. Lucy Walthal, a wealthy woman, a few years ago. Last September Mrs. Walthal was found dead in her home. Suspicion pointed to Ayres and his wife. Another daughter, Miss Stella Walthal, was the only witness.

A few weeks ago Miss Walthal died under mysterious circumstances. Ayres and his wife were tried for the murder of his mother-in-law. The woman was acquitted. A mis-trial resulted in the case of Ayres. He was on bond when killed last night.

## LIQUOR SALOONS

Number in Indiana to be Restricted

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 7.—In twelve counties of Indiana yesterday, commissioners decided to restrict the number of saloons to one to each 1000 inhabitants. In four other counties they decided that each 500 persons might have a saloon. By a new law, commissioners of a county are empowered to restrict the number of saloons to not more than one for every 500 inhabitants and not fewer than one for every 1000. The law will operate to close many saloons in cities.

## NARCISSE LEMIEUX

WELL KNOWN MERCHANT DIED YESTERDAY

Narcisse Lemieux, a well known merchant of this city, passed away this morning at his home, 193 Hall street, from a severe attack of pneumonia, after only three days' illness.

Mr. Lemieux who has lived in this city for the past 25 years was engaged in the grocery business at 237 Allen street since 1892. He counted a host of friends in Lowell, who will be pained to hear of his sudden death. He was a member of Court Garin, P. O. A., and of St. Joseph's church choir. The deceased is survived by a wife and eight children, Georgianna, Anna, Clara, Alice, Freddie, Ernest, Albert and Henri, and also by his father, Francis Lemieux of Canada.

## THE ROCKLANDS

## Defeated the Iroquois in Minor League

The Rocklands defeated the Iroquois by a score of 1328 to 1384 in a game in the minor league series held on the all-day last night, but despite the fact that it won by a safe margin when the total pinfall is taken into consideration it captured but one of the three points. The sensational rolling of the Rocklands in the second string was responsible for the high total pinfall. In the second string every member of the Rocklands went over the 100 mark, something which is rarely done especially among bowlers in this city. The score:

Rocklands	1	2	3	Tot
Dyer	83	103	82	273
Clark	95	107	92	295
McManus	82	111	94	287
O'Brien	80	105	97	272
Rourke	89	117	95	301
Totals	435	543	450	1428

Iroquois	1	2	3	Tot
Mahan	102	80	86	267
Ferguson	104	79	92	275
Shaugnessy	85	98	99	282
Kennedy	84	96	87	267
Fielding	90	104	89	283
Totals	475	467	452	1384

## MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE

The end of the season of the Manufacturers' Bowling league which came to a close last week, was celebrated Saturday night by a banquet at the New American house. The members of the eight different teams were in attendance and were a number of invited guests. W. A. Stearns acted as toastmaster and many of the prominent members of the league as well as the invited guests made addresses during the evening.

Carroll of the Appleton, was announced as the winner of the individual average, and was presented a handsome chafin dish. Abbott of the Boott took the high three string prize with 331 and received a reward of a coffee percolator.

Boyle of the Massachusetts took the high single prize with a mark of 123, and was awarded a razor. The Boott team ended the season at the top of the list with a mark of 22,355. The Lowell Machine shop, per cent. The Lowell Machine shop ended in second place, and the Bigelow in third place.

The Bigelow, the third team, took the top place in pinfall with a total of 28,355, with the Boott second and the Lowell Machine shop third.

The team standing is given below:

Team Standing	Won	Lost	Pct
Boott	63	31	76.0
Lowell Machine shop	51	39	69.7
Bigelow	40	35	53.3
Appleton	43	41	51.3
Lawrence	40	44	47.6
Massachusetts	33	46	41.5
Hamilton	29	55	34.5
Tremont & Suffolk	23	61	27.4

## Pinfall

Bigelow	23,355
Boott	22,355
Lowell Machine shop	22,063
Appleton	27,987
Massachusetts	27,600
Lawrence	27,532

## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Empire colony, 170, U. O. P. F., met last night and transacted much routine business. The anniversary meeting will be held on the night of March 27, when officers of the order from Boston and Lawrence will be present and speak. There will be an entertainment and supper.

## "KNOCKOUT" BROWN, CENTRAL LIGHT IN PUGILISTIC WORLD



NEW YORK, March 7.—Promoters at Brown, and "One Round" Hogan in the west are making every effort to match "Knockout" Brown and Ad. Wolask in a twenty round battle. Admirers of the latter think he would show to better advantage in a longer contest. As Brown has administered two beatings to the champion and feels confident of handing out another, it is more than likely that he will agree to meet Wolask in a twenty-round bout. Packy McFarland and Owen Moran are also after a crack

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# THE REPUBLICANS



JAMES J. McMANMON,  
Re-elected Treasurer.



JOHN BRENNAN,  
Re-elected Town Clerk.

## Scored a Great Victory in the Dracut Town Meeting

The annual town meeting held in Dracut yesterday was largely attended and a large vote was cast during the day. The town voted no license and the republicans scored a good victory. The polls were opened at 10:10 o'clock and closed at 4. Considerable business was transacted during the day. The results of the election follow:

Town clerk, John W. Brennan; selectmen, Fred E. Pollard, Walter F. Garland, Percy Smith; town treasurer, James J. McManmon; auditor, Lawrence J. Brennan; assessor, three year

term, Norman L. Peavey; assessor, one year unexpired term, Fred A. Bassett; constable and tax collector, Arthur W. Colburn; road surveyor, Clarence L. Richardson; tree warden, Thomas F. Carriek; school committee, Edward A. Dennett, Charles H. Cutler, Eugene C. Fox; rotary trustees, Silas R. Colburn, Ella W. Peabody; cemetery commissioner, Almond Richardson.

The vote was as follows: Town clerk—John W. Brennan, D., 347; Asa Suckney, R., 214. Selectmen, three elected—Fred E. Pollard, R., 333; Walter F. Garland,



FRED E. POLLARD,  
Selectman.



PERCY SMITH,  
Selectman.



WALTER F. GARLAND,  
Selectman.

R., 312; Percy Smith, R., 265; John E. Burke, D., 237; Luke J. McDonald, D., 236; George C. Canny, D., 189. Town treasurer—James J. McManmon, D., 324; Bernice Parker, R., 225. Auditor—Lawrence J. Brennan, D., 313; Nelson E. Huntley, R., 223. Assessor, three year term—Norman L. Peavey, R., 307; Nicholas Gallagher, D., 250. Assessor, one year unexpired term—Fred A. Bassett, R., 303; John J. Lathey, D., 235. Constable and tax collector—Arthur W. Colburn, R., 331; Moses J. Dalgie, D., 231. Road surveyor—Clarence L. Richardson, R., 298; Thomas Carroll, D., 243. Tree warden—Thomas F. Carriek, D., 278; William A. Placoma, R., 275. School committee, three elected—Edward A. Dennett, R., 326; Charles H. Cutler, R., 313; Eugene C. Fox, 313; H. Francis Kierman, D., 260; Charles W. Lynch, D., 258; George P. Fogarty, D., 241. Library trustees, two elected—Silas R. Colburn, R., 299; Ella W. Peabody, R., 291; William H. Bromley, D., 212; William H. Keefe, D., 206. Cemetery commissioner—Almond Richardson, R., 391; David P. Kennedy, D., 212. License—No. 266; yes, 228. The committee that was named by the moderator in the afternoon to arrange a list of salaries for the officers of the town made the following report:

Selectmen, chairman, \$350, other members \$225 per year; treasurer, \$250; auditor, \$200; clerk, \$100; school committee, chairman \$50, and

other members, expense of transportation to and from meetings; road surveyor, \$2 per day.

The treasurer's salary was increased to \$300, and the road surveyor to \$3 per day. With these changes the report was adopted.

Upon motion it was voted to raise \$2000, \$1000 of the same to be expended in constructing a macadamized road on Pleasant street starting at Bridge street and running westerly.

Under article 30, it was voted that the selectmen should not be elected for terms of one, two and three years.

The article which asked that a committee be appointed and authorized to sell and convey a part of the town farm land, was adopted and the meeting voted to allow the board of assessors to sell the entire farm land during the ensuing year and the money obtained to be used toward paying the town debt.

Article 32 asked the town to accept the deed of a lot of land owned by Geo. B. Brown and located in Collinsville at the junction of Lakeview avenue and Mammoth road upon condition that \$250 be raised to improve the same.

There was some doubt as to Mr. Brown owning the land in question and Mr. Foss said that a careful investigation had failed to show any claim upon the place by Mr. Brown.

The incoming board of selectmen will look further into the matter. It was voted to pay the tax collector 2 per cent on all taxes collected by him during the ensuing year. The sum of \$1000 was voted under

article 31 for the construction of a sidewalk on the easterly side of Lakeview avenue from the Pelham car tracks to Canney's corner in the Collinsville section.

The final article, calling for the construction of two flag stone crossings, one to cross Mammoth road at the junction of Lakeview avenue and one at Mill street at junction of Lakeview avenue was passed and \$200 was voted for the same.

Frank Gunther in conclusion moved that it be the sense of the meeting to reimburse the Lowell firemen who were injured at the fire at the Ames property one week ago. The meeting voted its approval, but no stated sum was set.

## JAIL SENTENCE

BOSTON, March 7.—Frank L. Richardson, aged 61, was arraigned before Judge Wentworth yesterday, charged with passing a worthless check for \$5 on Max Silk. He pleaded guilty and inspectors Rooney and McCauley asked the judge to deal lightly with him. Inspector Rooney showed several checks he had taken from Richardson, who has been living at the People's palace.

The officer said that Richardson is not in good health and desires to go west for the rest of his life. None of the other persons upon whom it was alleged Richardson passed bad checks was in court. Judge Wentworth sentenced him to Charles street jail for two months.

# BALLINGER RESIGNS

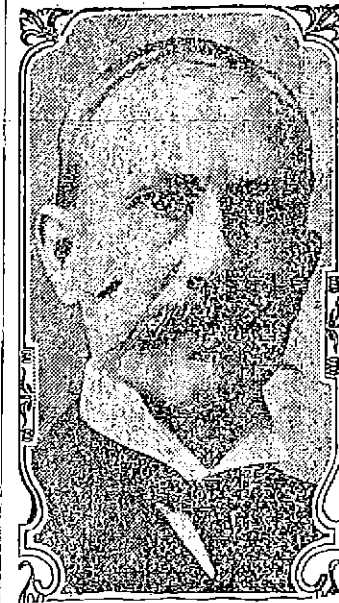
## Secretary of the Interior Leaves the Cabinet

### Walter L. Fisher Appointed His Successor—President Taft Had the Fullest Confidence in Sec. Ballinger

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Richard A. Ballinger's resignation as secretary of the interior, dated Jan. 19 last, was accepted today by President Taft, and

Secretary Ballinger tendered his resignation in a letter on January 19, basing it entirely upon the condition of his health. The president replied at once, expressing his confidence in Secretary Ballinger and his reluctance to accept his resignation and requested the secretary to remain in office until the close of the session of congress. Immediately upon the adjournment of congress Sec. Ballinger renewed his request that he be relieved at a date suiting the president's convenience but immediately if possible. Today President Taft in a letter formally accepted the resignation. The correspondence between the president and the secretary is not voluminous but displays beyond question the confidence which Mr. Taft has reposed in Mr. Ballinger throughout the long siege and the indignation with which he viewed the attack on the secretary's personal and official integrity.

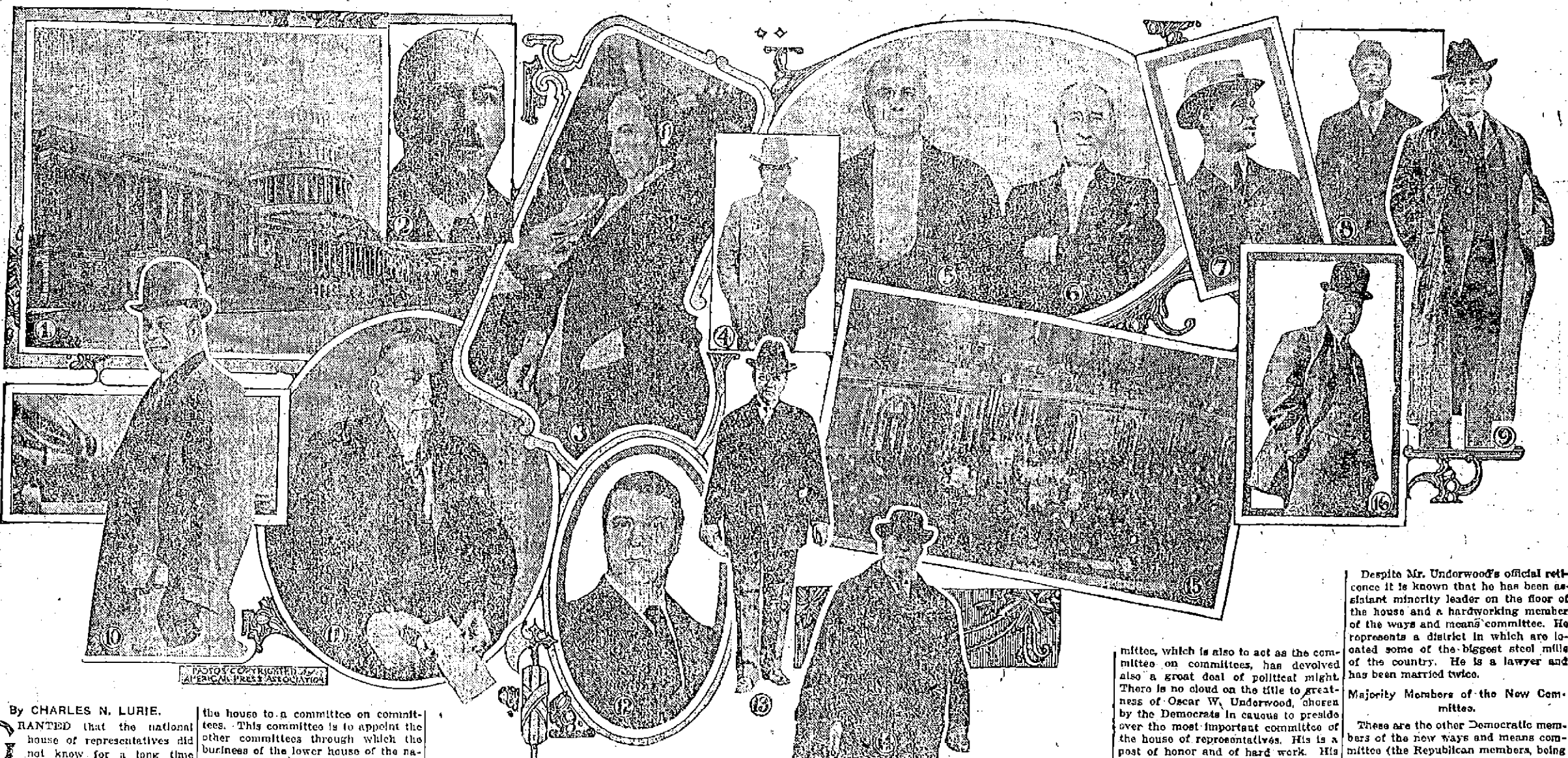
"I have had the fullest opportunity," the president says in his letter accepting the resignation, "to know you, to know your standards of service to the government and the public and to know your motives to know how you have administered your office and to know the motives of those who have assailed you. I do not hesitate to say that you have been the object of one of the most unscrupulous conspiracies for the defamations of character that history can show," and in the conclusion of his letter the president declares that "every fibre of my nature rebels against such hypocrisy" (referring to the attacks on Mr. Ballinger's character) and nerves me to fight such a combination and such methods to the bitter end, lest success in this instance may form a demoralizing precedent, but personal consideration for you and yours makes me feel that I have no right to ask of you further sacrifice."



EX-SEC. BALLINGER

Walter L. Fisher of Chicago was appointed as his successor; his commission being signed immediately by the president. Mr. Fisher will take office within a few days.

# The New Power In National Lawmaking



1—View of the capitol from the house wing. 2—Winfield S. Hammond (Minn.). 3—Choice B. Randolph (Tex.). 4—William Hughes (N.J.). 5 and 6—Chosen by the Democrats for speaker, Champ Clark (Mo.); the outgoing speaker, Joseph G. Cannon (Ill.). 7—Franco B. Harrison (N.Y.). 8—Dorsey W. Shackelford (Mo.). 9—Henry T. Rainey (Ill.). 10—Andrew J. Peters (Miss.). 11—Oscar W. Underwood (Ala.), chairman of new ways and means committee. 12—Claude Kitchin (N.C.). 13—William G. Brantley (Ga.). 14—Ollie M. James (Ky.). 15—Opening of a house session. 16—A Mitchell Palmer (Pa.).

It is referred. Seldom is a bill taken from a committee. Champ Clark, Speaker of the New House.

When the Republican insurgents, aided by Democratic votes, moved last year to depose the speaker from the "seat of the mighty" there were forebodings of the coming political storm in the air, but hopeful Republicans still believed that the complexion of the house would not be changed. On the other hand, the Democrats believed

that Nov. 3, 1910, would return their party to power in the house. They had already picked out their man for speaker. He was the big, able-bodied, able-bodied, experienced member from Missouri, Champ Clark, floor leader of the house in virtue of the fact that he had been the minority candidate for speaker.

What thoughts passed through the mind of the Hon. Mr. Clark when he saw his prospective office shorn of its former power are not known. He must have thought a good many hard thoughts, however. It will be a good

speaker even if the scope of the power of his office does not include such matters as counting a quorum when two-thirds of the mahogany chairs in the big hall are unfiled.

Great Powers of Chairman of Committee.

To the speaker remains much power owing to the prestige and influence of the office which has been called great in the United States next to the presidency. On the chairman of the

committee, which is also act as the committee on committees, he devolved also a great deal of political might. There is no cloud on the title to greatness of Oscar W. Underwood, chosen by the Democrats in caucus to preside over the most important committee of the house of representatives. His is a post of honor and of hard work. His room in the marble office building of the house will be lighted often with the midnight oil of conference with his colleagues. But he professes an entire indifference to the amount of work involved in his new dignity, since he brings to it the ripe experience of many years' work in the house. He is an Alabamian and has been elected to the house of representatives nine times, although he is only forty-nine years old. He is a quiet, very modest man, as witness his biography in the Congressional Directory, written from material furnished by himself. It fills only six lines and recites simply the facts of his birth, education and election. It is one of the shortest biographies in the directory, but it is beaten easily in that respect by the life story of Robert Bruce Macoon, Democrat of Helena, Ark., who "was elected to the Fifty-eighth and to each succeeding congress" that's all.

Despite Mr. Underwood's official reticence it is known that he has been assistant minority leader on the floor of the house and a hardworking member of the ways and means committee. He represents a district in which are located some of the biggest steel mills of the country. He is a lawyer and has been married twice.

Majority Members of the New Committee.

These are the other Democratic members of the new ways and means committee (the Republican members, being a hopeless minority, are a negligible quantity):

Henry T. Rainey, Illinois; Lincoln Dixon, Indiana; Ollie M. James, Kentucky; Andrew J. Peters, Massachusetts; Winfield Scott Hammond, Minnesota; Dorsey W. Shackelford, Missouri; William Hughes, New Jersey; Francis Burton Harrison, New York; Claude Kitchin, North Carolina; A. Mitchell Palmer, Pennsylvania; Cordell Hull, Tennessee; Choice B. Randolph, Texas; William G. Brantley, Georgia.

Every one of the fourteen is a lawyer by profession. Every one has served at least two terms in the house, save Palmer, who has only one term to his credit. With the exception of Brantley, who hails from the staunch Democratic state of Georgia, they are all firm believers in tariff for revenue only. There is much lumber in Brantley's district, and he does not believe in foreign competition in this particular article.

By CHARLES N. LURIE.  
GRANTED that the national house of representatives did not know for a long time what to do about the power exercised by one man in the speaker's chair holding the reins over a large, unwieldy and sometimes bulky body, what is it going to do about fourteen men with as much or more power, especially in view of the fact that the size of the house of representatives is going to be increased in accordance with the findings of the recent census? The answer is that the fourteen men any they are not going to exercise the power which Uncle Joe Cannon (pence to his speakership ashes) exercised so long. We shall see and know more about that as the history of the Sixty-second congress unfolds itself.

When the Democratic caucus, following the lead of the Republican "insurgents," voted to strip the speaker of his arbitrary powers it was decided to intrust the running of the business of

the house to a committee on committees. This committee is to appoint the other committees through which the business of the lower house of the national legislature is conducted instead of letting the speaker name the committees. This decision was a great progressive step in legislative history, since it removed for all time the shadow of "exarism" from the marble rostrum of the speaker. Henceforward his functions are to be those of a presiding officer, pure and simple, guiding the deliberations of the house according to well defined and well understood parliamentary rules without attempting to influence the course of legislation. The latter function is to be left to the committee on rules, sometimes and in some ways the most powerful body in the house, composed of the very elect of the party in power. It is the business of the committee on rules to decide which bill or bills shall have precedence. Without its consent no bill may be called up. Without such consent a bill "goes the way to dusty death" in the pigeonholes of the committee to which



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Mr. Omer Bernard is visiting his brother, Mr. Odilon Bernard, in Attleboro.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Chaffin, of West Somerville, and Mr. Raymond Mackenzie of Dorchester, were guests over the week-end at Mrs. H. F. Rabour, 931 Bridge street.

The Misses Pratte of Bennet street gave a delightful musical at the home, Sunday night.

Besides their own songs, the violin numbers played by Mr. Lefebvre were particularly admired.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. O'Connell of Brighton were visitors in Lowell yesterday.

Mr. O'Connell was formerly connected with the fire department and was a member of Hose 7 in Central street.

## POLICE COURT

Continued.

The second count he was charged with the larceny of a pair of reins, bridle and 76 pounds of iron chain, all of the value of \$7.50 the property of Harold M. Fox of Dracut. Perreault admitted that he had taken the reins and bridle belonging to Mr. Fox, but denied that he had anything to do with articles belonging to Mr. Cote.

The first matter taken up was the larceny of the articles from Mr. Fox. Mr. Fox said that the bridle and reins were kept in his stable and when one of the men went to look for them Friday morning found that they were missing. Philip Tessier said that he purchased the articles from the defendant, the latter claiming that he was going out of business and wanted to get rid of them. William B. Ready, who keeps a junk shop and has purchased chains from the defendant, the latter having given his name as Frank Willett. Inspector Charles Laflamme said that he and Patrolman Breault arrested Perreault last Friday.

Samuel Cote testified that he keeps a wood yard in Wilden street and missed traces and hames from his horse. He knew Perreault but did not see him about the place.

Mrs. Cole, wife of the complainant, said Perreault called at the house Friday and asked if Mr. Cote was there. When he was informed that Mr. Cote was away he inquired as to when he would return. Perreault said when he would return. Perreault then went away but later Mrs. Cole saw him leaving the place with a bundle under his arms and the traces were hanging out of the bundle.

Perreault, testifying in his own behalf, said he had seen articles from Mr. Fox's place but he went to Mr. Cote's place to sell them and that it was the harness taken from Mr. Fox's place that Mrs. Cole saw.

Dputy Downey showed by the record that Perreault had been before the court on many occasions for different offenses including drunkenness, threatening, assault, and battery, having been a disorderly person and non-support, and at the present time he is on parole from the state farm. Judge Hadley found him guilty and ordered him sentenced to jail for four months on each offense.

**Fine of \$5 Imposed**  
Josanna A. Gaudin, charged with selling a preparation of opium to wit: One ounce of Gaudin's Aniseed Syrup having more than one-third of a grain of morphine, contrary to the pure food laws, entered a plea of not content. Here and a fine of \$5 was imposed.

**Milk Cases**  
Aniose P. Best pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with having milk below the standard, and a fine of \$100 was imposed. Walter Andrews, who pleaded guilty to a similar charge, was fined \$50.

**Guilty of Larceny**  
Bartholomew O'Neil pleaded guilty to complaints of drunkenness and the larceny of \$1 in money from Stephen E. Murphy. Patrolman Abbott testified that O'Neil went to Murphy's room, and while the latter was asleep, he took \$1 from Murphy's pocket. The court found him guilty and imposed a fine of \$10.

**Drunken Offenders**  
The case of John Stevens, charged with drunkenness, was continued till tomorrow morning at the request of the government.

James Murray, who came into court yesterday morning in an intoxicated condition to answer to a charge of drunkenness, and who was sent below to recuperate, pleaded guilty to drunkenness this morning and a fine of \$5 was imposed.

George A. Benton, who belongs in Hollis, N. H., and came to this city a few weeks ago with a roll of money and was afterwards arrested for drunkenness and sent to the city farm for treatment, was in court this morning after being given good advice by Judge Hadley was fined \$25.

Frank Marple was fined \$5, and three first offenders were fined \$5 each.

## DEATHS

**JONES**—Dr. Albert Mark Jones, formerly with the A. W. Dows Co. of this city, died suddenly last Thursday at his home in Milo, Me. He leaves two brothers, John L. Jones of Chelmsford and A. F. Jones of this city. The Milo correspondent of the Bangor News last Friday had the following:

"A wave of profound sorrow passed over this town Thursday morning when it became known that Dr. Albert Mark Jones had passed away early in the morning after an illness of less than a week with pneumonia. The deceased was only 39 years of age at the time of his unexpected demise, and a host of friends join with his relatives in mourning the loss of a good physician, public spirited citizen and true friend."

"Dr. Jones was born in the town of Brooks, and was educated in the public schools of that town; graduated from Maine Central Institute and from Bates college in the class of 1900 and in 1904 from the Maine Medical college and spent some years at the Eastern Maine General Hospital in Bangor before engaging in the practice in his chosen profession."

"In 1905 he opened an office in this town in the Dutch & Thompson block, and being thoroughly grounded in the principles of his profession; of a kindly, genial disposition, and always ready to heed the call of the sick, he at once met with success. Later he had an office in the Bank block, and finally two years ago he purchased the Duggell place on Main street, where he has since resided and had his office."

"Of an energetic and untiring nature, the good physician undoubtedly overworked himself the week and heeding not his own tired body. He was anxious to make a mark in his profession and his ambition was gratified, for he was known and honored as a skillful physician and surgeon, and in many homes in this vicinity his death will be sincerely regretted, and his cheery presence missed by many an invalid, who welcomed the coming of one who always had a cheerful word, which came from a kind heart."

"He married Miss Effie G. Whitten of this town, Sept. 8, 1908, and one son has been born to them, and the sympathy of the entire community goes out to the heartbroken young wife and infant child."

"The deceased was an active member of the Free Baptist church, a member of Piscataquis lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, and a member of Bunker Tent, No. 24, Knights of the Maschabees of the World, and the N. E. O. P."

"In his death, the town mourns the loss of one of its most valued citizens. He was one of the local officers of the Boy Scouts of America, taking an active interest in the movement, and giving valuable time to instructing the boys, and his death was a great blow to them."

Funeral services were held on Sunday in the Free Baptist church.

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Promptly at 2 p. m. on the above date I shall sell namely: 3 first class horses used in delivery business of the above market, 2 first class delivery grocery wagons, nearly new, rubber tread Concord wagon, 2 medium heavy harnesses, 2 light delivery punks, 1 heavy delivery punk, 1 driving sleigh, together with the robes, blankets and lot of miscellaneous articles.

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old resident, died yesterday at the Lowell General hospital, aged 66 years, 2 months. The body was removed to the home, 3 Rockdale avenue, by Undertaker Joseph Albini. The deceased left four sons, Joseph, of St. Timothee, Que., Henri, Napoleon and Adelard, of Lowell, and six daughters, Mrs. Fred Rocheville, Mrs. Louis Toranger, Mrs. Jeffrey Cossette and Misses Cordelia, Rose and Yvonne, all of Lowell. He was a member of Union Samuel de Champlain, Union St. Joseph and the Holy Family, sodality of St. Joseph's parish.

**MOFFITT**—Miss Flora J. Moffitt died yesterday at her home, 502 Wilder street, aged 53 years. She is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Nettie B. Jilison of this city, Miss Mary Moffitt of Boston and Mrs. Warren D. Wilson of Los Angeles, California. Miss Moffitt was for many years a teacher in the Highland school.

**BOSLEY**—Isaac Raymond Bosley died yesterday at the Lowell hospital after a brief illness, aged 35 years. Mr. Bosley was a well known resident of Centralville.

**KNEELAND**—Mrs. Diantha E. Kneeland, wife of Seymour L. Kneeland, died at her home in Tewksbury Centre, yesterday. Besides her husband she leaves a daughter, Mrs. Arthur Bartlett of Lowell, and one son, Clarence H. Kneeland of Bridgeport, Conn.

**RICHARDS**—The many friends of Leonard J. Richards, an old-time resident of Lowell, will be pained to learn of his death, which occurred at his residence, 234 High street, Monday, March 6, at the ripe age of 86 years, 4 months, 9 days.

He was born in Ellenton, N. H., coming to Lowell at the age of 14 years and, with the exception of a few years spent in California, he had always been a resident here. He was a mason by trade, having the business with Wilder Bennett, and assisted in building some of the large cotton mills and other public buildings in this city. He later entered into partnership with his brother, Luther Richards, in the

## FUNERAL NOTICES

**McCOURT**—The funeral of Thomas McCourt will take place Wednesday morning from the home of his sister, Mrs. Margaret Gallagher, 31 Russell place, at 9:30 o'clock. The funeral will be held at St. Paul's M. P. church for many years.

He leaves to mourn him a wife, Mrs. Martha J. Richards, and one daughter, Mrs. Ida A. Kazantine of Sacramento, Cal. He never entered into politics, always leading a quiet home life.

**CALLAHAN**—Mrs. Margaret A. Callahan, aged 45 years, died this morning at the Lowell hospital. She leaves a husband, Philip H., three sisters, Mrs. William Tinsbury of Amesbury, Mrs. Hudson Barrows of Haverhill, Mrs. Harry Downs of Lynn, one brother, Joseph Conway of Newburyport. The body was removed to her home, 82 Beacon street, by Undertaker Charles H. Molloy & Sons.

**KENT**—Mrs. Mary A. Kent, aged 50 years, died this morning at the home of her daughter, 28 Manchester street. She leaves a husband, three daughters, and two sons in New York.

**CANTIN**—Joseph Elle Cantin, a well known and highly respected resident of this city, where he had been for many years engaged in the painting business, died early this morning at his home, 15 B street, aged 61 years and 2 days. The deceased was a member of L'Union St. Joseph and the Foresters of America. He leaves to mourn his loss, besides a bereaved wife, two daughters and one son, Eugene, Luminia and Eugene Cantin, all of this city; five sisters, Mesdames Jean Baptiste Bernier of Lowell, A. Viard of Haverhill, N. H., A. Boucher of St. Johnsbury, Vt., L. Sherbet of Lorain, Ohio, and S. Chailier of Charleville, Canada.

**BUCKLEY**—The funeral of Timothy Francis Buckley took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home of his parents, 51 Newhall street. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker John J. O'Connell.

**HARRINGTON**—The funeral of Mrs. Laura A. Harrington, who died in Boston, Mass., was held yesterday at 12:30 o'clock. Prayers were offered at the grave at the Elson cemetery by Rev. F. G. Alger and the burial was in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck.

**HAGGERTY**—The funeral of the late Miss Hannah F. Haggerty took place this morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 16 Burns street, and was well attended. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church, where at 9 o'clock a solemn mass of requiem was sung by Rev. John Burns. The choir sang the Gregorian mass. At the offertory Miss Mary E. Whiteley sang "O Mortalis Passiones," and after the elevation Mr. James E. Donnelly sang "Jesu Salvator Mundi." Mrs. John McKenney presided at the organ.

Among the many floral tributes were a pillow inscribed "Sister," from her sister, Mary; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman; wreath, dress room of the Hamilton; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Connell and family; wreath on base inscribed "At Rest," the Kilvan family; and a spray of tulips, Mrs. Handley and Fanny.

The bearers were Edward O'Connell, Thomas Kilvan, John Freeman and James Janson. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Burns. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons had charge.

**CUMMINGS**—The funeral of the late Patrick Cummings took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons and proceeded to St. Peter's church, where at 9:45 o'clock a solemn mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan. The choir sang the Gregorian mass. Miss Mary E. Whiteley and Mr. James E. Donnelly rendered the color. Mrs. John McKenney presided at the organ. There was a delegation composed of James E. Pyffe, James Lang, James Dihan and Vincent Marotta, from Court Gen. Shields, No. 46, F. of A. The bearers were John Reed, John Brennan, Patrick Burke and John J. Janson. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

**TROTTER**—Joseph Eugene Leo Trotter, aged 8 days, infant son of Victor and Marie Trotter, died last night at the home of his parents, 55 Easton street. The funeral took place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, burial being in St. Joseph's cemetery, in charge of Undertaker Amodeo Archambault.

**WHEATON**—The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Cahalan, Wheaton took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. Catherine Corcoran, 104 Butterfield street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from out of town. Among the latter were James P. Tobin and Miss Mary Damory of Manchester, N. H.; Miss Nellie Tobin of Milford, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tobin of North Chelmsford, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Williams of Tyngsboro, Mrs. James O'Connell of Tewksbury, Mr. and Mrs. John Mylott of North Andover, Thomas Hennessey of North Andover, and Mrs. Denis Donohue of Chelmsford. A solemn mass of requiem was sung at St. Patrick's church by Rev. Timothy Callahan. The choir under the direction of Mr. Michael J. Johnson sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Miss Alice D. Murphy and Mr. Andrew McCarthy. Mr. Johnson presiding at the organ. There were many beautiful floral tributes including large wreath, inscribed "Grandma," from William B. Cahalan; sheaf of wheat, inscribed "Aunt Mary," Miss Nellie Corcoran; wreath, James P. Tobin of Manchester; wreath, Mrs. Humphrey O'Sullivan; spray, Miss Minnie Wheaton, a spray from Ralph Hickey. The bearers were James P. and Thomas P. Tobin, James Hennessey, Daniel J. Donovan, Michael Wheaton, and John J. Donovan. At the grave Rev. Father Callahan read the committal prayers, and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers J. F. O'Connell & Sons in charge.

## FUNERALS

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An alarm from box 82 shortly before 11:30 o'clock this morning summoned a portion of the fire department to a slight blaze in a house at 108 Chelmsford street. A woman placed a small gas stove in a sink, close to the wall. While she was in another part of the house the flames set fire to the woodwork and upon returning she discovered the blaze. The department was notified but the fire was extinguished before much damage was done. The building is owned by Jennie Namin and the insurance on the property was carried through the agency of Fred C. Church.

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